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Report of the Thirty-fifth Annual Meeting of the

Woman's Foreign Missionary Society

AND THE

Twenty-second Annual Meeting of the

Woman's Home Mission Society

NORTH CAROLINA CONFERENCE

M. E. CHURCH, SOUTH

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PROCEEDINGS

WEDNESDAY—Evening Session

The Thirty-Fifth Annual Session of the North Carolina Conference Woman's Foreign Missionary Society, and the Twenty-Second Annual Session of the North Carolina Conference Home Mission Society, convened in a joint session in the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, January 22, 1913, at 7:30 P. M., Rev. M. Bradshaw, P. C., conducting the opening devotional exercises.

Voluntary: "Onward Christian Soldiers."

The congregation joined in singing "All Hail the Power of Jesus Name."

Rev. M. Bradshaw read scripture lesson from Isaiah, 6th chapter, and led in prayer.

Anthem: "Incline Thine Ear to Me," by the choir.

Words of greeting were given by the following:

For Church: Rev. M. Bradshaw. For Missionary Societies: Mrs. J. W. Daniels.

Mrs. R. B. John in warm words expressed appreciation of the hearty welcome and hospitality of the Wilson people.

Hymn No. 548 was sung.

After reading scripture lesson, hymn 349 was sung followed with a series of consecration prayers by several members of the Conference.

After announcements, the service closed with the Anthem, "Seek Ye the Lord," by the choir.

Benediction by pastor.

THURSDAY—MORNING SESSION

The Woman's Foreign Mission Conference and the Woman's Home Mission Conference met in its first business session of its first joint meeting, in the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, Wilson, N. C., January 23, 1913, at 9:30 o'clock, Mrs. R. A. Willis president of Foreign Department, presiding.

Hymn, "Take My Life and Let It Be," was sung.

Mrs. Willis read the "Parable of the Sower," stressing the importance of Christian duty and Christian service.

Mrs. R. B. John led in prayer.

The organization of the Conference was then entered upon. The delegates were enrolled and showed there were present the following officers, and representatives of the Foreign and Home Departments:

Officers Present, Foreign Department—Mrs. R. A. Willis, Elizabeth City, President; Mrs. N. H. D. Wilson, First Vice-President; Miss Alma Graham, Warrenton, Third Vice-President; Mrs. W. H. Neal, Laurinburg, Fourth Vice-President; Mrs. F. D. Swindell, Wilson, Corresponding Secretary; Mrs. B. B. Adams, Four Oaks, Treasurer; Mrs. L. N. Hendren (Emeritus), Newberne, Supt. Juvenile Work.

District Secretaries Present—Mrs. T. H. Street, Durham; Mrs. J. N. Winslow, Elizabeth City; Mrs. M. Jessie Simpson, Fayetteville; Mrs. H. J. Faison, Newberne; Mrs. C. P. Dey (Emeritus); Mrs. F. B. McKinne, Raleigh; Mrs. J. F. Ray, Rockingham; Mrs. K. P. Black, Warrenton; Mrs. J. L. Horne, Washington; Mrs. D. W. Bullock, Wilmington.

Officers Present, Home Department—Mrs. R. B. John, Fayetteville, President; Mrs. G. R. Barrow, Elizabeth City, First Vice-President; Miss Lillie Duke, Durham, Second Vice-President; Mrs. W. B. North, Jackson, Third Vice-President; Mrs. W. H. Speight, Raleigh, Fourth Vice-President; Mrs. Jas. G. Fearing, Elizabeth City, Corresponding Secretary; Mrs. B. N. Mann, Durham, Recording Secretary; Mrs. Ida T. Wilkins, Weldon, Superintendent of Supplies; Mrs. J. W. Bowlan, Goldsboro, Superintendent of Press Work.

District Secretaries Present—Mrs. A. M. Gates, Durham; Mrs. A. D. Muse, Fayetteville; Mrs. J. E. Underwood, Newberne; Miss Emma Matthews, Raleigh; Miss Georgia Biggs, Rockingham; Mrs. F. A. Woodard, Washington.

Visitors—Miss Annie Bass, Danville, Va., City Missionary; Miss Sarah Regan, Orangeburg, S. C., Deaconess.

DELEGATES

Durham District— Trinity, Durham, Mrs. C. B. Green, Home Department, Mrs. L. C. Richardson, Young Womans, Mrs. R. C. Craven, Lady Manager; Memorial, Durham, Mrs. N. Underwood, Foreign Department, Mrs. F. H. Green, Home Department; West Durham, Mrs. B. U. Brooks, United Auxiliary; Allensville, Miss Mildred Slaughter, Home Department; Leasburg, Miss Mattie Pulliam, Foreign Department.

Visitors—Mrs. H. N. Snow, Mrs. M. E. Knapp, Mrs. G. F. Smith.

Elizabeth City District—Hertford, Young Woman's, Mrs. Carl Winslow; Philadelphia, United, Mrs. J. A. Harrell; Pantego, Foreign Department, Mrs. Wm. Credle; Wanchese, United, Mrs. Holland Pugh; Elizabeth City, Auxiliary, Mrs. Clay Forman; Anderson, Lady Manager, Mrs. Noah Felton; Manteo, Auxiliary United, Mrs. W. J. Griffin; Belhaven, Auxiliary, Home Department, Mrs. F. P. Baynor; Elizabeth City, First Church, Young Woman's, Mrs. Robt. Fearing; Hertford, Home Department, Mrs. Geo. Hawkins, Foreign Department, Mrs. W. S. Blanchard.

Visitors—Mrs. E. R. Daniels, Mrs. W. H. Brown.

Fayetteville District—Dunn Auxiliary, United, Miss Vara L. Herring; Carthage Auxiliary, United, Mrs. A. D. Muse; Fayetteville Auxiliary, Foreign Department, Mrs. J. M. Lilly; Bell Bennett Young Woman's Auxiliary, Fayetteville, Miss Blanche A. Thornton; Hay St., Fayetteville, Foreign Department, Mrs. Hunter Smith; Jonesboro, Home Department, Miss Laura Doub.

Newberne District—Faison, Mrs. R. A. Moore; Goldsboro, St. Paul, Mrs. E. W. Hill; Goldsboro, St. John, Miss Iola Patrick; Goldsboro, St. Paul, Young People, Miss Lydia Winslow; Morehead City, Mrs. C. S. Wallace; Newberne, Foreign Department, Mrs. R. P. Williams; Newberne, Home Department, Mrs. J. B. Hurley; Newberne, Lady Manager, Mrs. Geo. Henderson; Goldsboro, Mrs. W. H. Cobb; Morehead City, Mrs. J. C. B. Morton; Hookerton, Mrs. R. A. Stamper, Mrs. W. E. Hocutt; Kinston, Mrs. C. F. Harvey; Kinston, Lady Manager, Mrs. Dan Quinnerly; Goldsboro, Young People's, Miss Sadie Underwood; Mt. Olive, Young People, Mrs. Lindsay Andrews.

Visitors—Mrs. S. H. Scott.

Raleigh District—Elizabeth Auxiliary, Foreign, Mrs. J. H. B. Tomlinson; Selma, First Vice-President, Miss Margaret Etheridge; Selma, Home Department, Mrs. W. H. Call; Louisburg, Foreign Department, Mrs. M. C. Pleasants; Louisburg, Home Department, Mrs. P. G. Alston; Franklinton, Young People, Foreign Department, Miss Maggie High; Benson Auxiliary, Foreign Department, Miss Florence Johnson; Benson, Lady Manager, Miss Bertha Johnson; Raleigh, Central, Foreign Department, Mrs. A. E. Glenn; Raleigh, Edenton Street,

United, Mrs. J. N. Cole, Foreign; Mrs. E. C. Duncan, Home; Edenton Street, Young People, Foreign, Miss Sallie Reese; Kenly, Home, Miss Sallie Benson; Smithfield, Home, Mrs. A. S. Barnes, Mrs. T. R. Hood, Home; Banks Chapel, United, Miss Mary Parrott; Banks Chapel, Miss Meta Lyon, Lady Manager.

Visitors—Mrs. J. E. Coggins, Mrs. E. L. Sanders.

Rockingham District—Rockingham, Adult Auxiliary, Mrs. W. P. Webb; Young People, Miss Inez Biggs; Lumberton Auxiliary, Mrs. E. J. Poole, Young People, Miss Armanda McDiarmid; Roberdel, Auxiliary, Miss Lessie Culberson, Young People, Miss Lillian Culberson; Zion, Adult, Mrs. L. M. Ragan, Young People, Miss Maie Ellerbe; Peedee, Young People, Mrs. B. E. Stanfield; Hamlet, Home, Mrs. H. J. Shoemaker; Laurinburg, Young People, Foreign, Miss Lizzie Dowdy; Hamlet Auxiliary, Miss Myrtle McNeely; Troy, Mrs. D. D. Bruton, Mrs. R. T. Poole, Lady Manager; Maxton, Auxiliary, Mrs. B. C. Glass, Young People, Miss Nettie Pace; Biscoe, Young People Lady Manager, Mrs. Frank Page, Young People, Miss Eula Burns; Mt. Gilead, Mrs. C. Stanback; Rowland Auxiliary, Home, Mrs. H. K. McCormic; Laurinburg, Foreign, Mrs. W. H. Neal; Aberdeen, Foreign, Mrs. Ernest Pleasants.

Visitor—Miss S. A. Smith.

Warrenton District—Jackson Auxiliary, Mrs. W. B. North; Littleton Auxiliary, Foreign, Mrs. R. H. Willis, Home, Mrs. J. H. Harrison, Lady Manager Bright Jewels, Mrs. A. M. Newsom; Warrenton, Juvenile Work, Miss Ethel Allen; Murfreesboro, Foreign, Mrs. J. B. Wynn; Warrenton Auxiliary, Miss Alma D. Graham; Windsor, Home, Mrs. E. S. Dale; Weldon, Home, Mrs. W. L. Knight, Lady Manager, Mrs. H. C. Spiers; Henderson Auxiliary, Mrs. G. W. Elmo; Winton, Home, Mrs. H. B. Knox; Jackson, Foreign, Mrs. J. L. Lister; Henderson, Mrs. J. L. Cooper; Warrenton, Miss Louise Allen.

Visitors—Mrs. Hoover, Mrs. M. P. Perry, Macon; Mrs. O. W. Piece, Weldon, Miss Almeda Trevajo.

Washington District—Washington Auxiliary, Foreign, Mrs. M. A. Baugham; Greenville, Foreign, Mrs. H. E. Austin; Rocky Mount, Foreign, Mrs. J. W. Aycock; Wilson, Foreign, Mrs. J. T. Wiggins; Fremont, Home, Mrs. J. B. Exum and Mrs. J. B. Hooks; Farmville, Home, Mrs. J. W. Parker; Wilson, Home, Mrs. P. L. Woodard; Rocky Mount, Home, Mrs. J. G. Mills.

Visitor—Miss Annie Bridgman.

Wilmington District—Grace Church, Foreign, Mrs. C. H. Fore, Home, Mrs. Ida Hankins; Fifth Street, Mrs. J. L. Funchess; Wallace Auxiliary, Mrs. W. F. Murphy; Fifth Street Young People, Miss Hattie Gardner; Clinton Bright Jewels, Lady Manager, Mrs. W. A. Stanbury; Jacksonville Auxiliary, Mrs. T. H. Sutton.

The rules of order were read by Mrs. Willis.

The bar of the Conference was fixed, and the first five rows across the church were assigned to the delegates, and they then seated by districts.

The hours of opening and closing the sessions were fixed as follows: 9:30 to 12:30; noon hour devotional service, 12:30 to 1 P. M.

Mrs. R. A. Willis, President of Foreign Department, read her message.

(*See Message.*)

After the singing of 3 verses of hymn 654, Mrs. R. B. John, President of Home Department, read her annual message.

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(*See Message.*)

Mrs. J. F. Ray was elected Secretary to represent Foreign.

The Report of the Commission appointed by the Foreign and Home Conferences was read by Mrs. F. D. Swindell and adopted.

(*See Report.*)

The Minutes of the Joint Executive Meeting held at Rocky Mount were read by Mrs. Ray.

Rev. L. S. Massey, Editor of *Advocate,* Raleigh, and Miss Sarah Regan, Deaconess, Orangeburg, S. C., were introduced to the body.

The Report of Superintendent of Supplies, read by Mrs. I. T. Wilkins, was adopted.

After discussion, the meeting of the Executive Officers and District Secretaries was fixed at 2 P. M.

The hour having arrived for the noon devotions, the services led by Miss Emma Page were opened with the singing of 3 verses of hymn 556.

Prayer by Miss Page.

She read 1 Kings, 3rd chapter, with comments.

How a thing well done for a time fills our horizon. But the art of right living is the greatest and finest of the fine arts. Knowing our relationship to God, knowing our relationship to those about us, and having an understanding to go about the Christian work in the right way will give us the broad vision that Jesus Christ Himself had.

After prayer by Miss Page, the remaining verses of hymn 556 were sung, and Conference adjourned for luncheon, served by the ladies in Sunday School Room.

THURSDAY—EVENING SESSION

Mrs. R. B. John, presiding.

The service opened with anthem, "Send Out Thy Light."

Hymn 461 was sung and scripture lesson recorded in St. John, 15th chapter, read by Miss Sarah Regan.

Anthem: "For a Closer Walk with God," by the choir.

The following reports were read and accepted:

Report from Treasurer, Foreign Department, Mrs. B. B. Adams.

Report from Treasurer, Home Department, read by Mrs. Mann.

Report from Third Vice-President, Home Department, read by Mrs. W. B. North.

Report from Conference Corresponding Secretary, Home Department, Mrs. J. G. Fearing.

Report from Conference Corresponding Secretary, Foreign Department, Mrs. T. D. Swindell.

Mrs. J. G. Fearing, Conference Corresponding Secretary of the Home Department presented the "Banner" to the Young People of Rockingham for raising the largest offering per capita of funds sent to Conference Treasurer.

After announcements, the Conference adjourned with the benediction by Rev. M. Bradshaw, P. C.

FRIDAY—MORNING SESSION

The Conference met for its second day's session Friday at 9:30 A. M., with Mrs. John in the chair.

The devotional service was led by Mrs. John.

Four verses of hymn 435 sung, and after scripture lesson recorded in Ephesians, 3rd chapter, was read, Mrs. John led in prayer.

The business of the day was taken up.

Roll called and six names added.

The minutes were read and approved.

On motion, the courtesies of the floor were extended to Mrs. H. N. Snow, Memorial Church, Durham.

The chair announced the following Committees:

Committee on Young People's Work—Miss Lillie Duke, Mrs. Rob. Willis, Mrs. Lindsey Andrews, Miss Georgia Biggs, Mrs. Robert Fearing, Miss Lizzie Dowdy, Mrs. W. P. Webb, Miss Vera Herring, Miss Sallie Newman, Miss Ampara Almeda Trevajo.

Committee on Social Service—Mrs. W. H. Speight, Mrs. Clay Foreman, Mrs. T. H. Sutton, Mrs. Ida Hankins and (all Fourth Vice Presidents).

Committee on Mission Study—Mrs. W. B. North, Miss Alma Graham, Mrs. J. L. Lister, Mrs. J. E. Underwood, Mrs. H. B. Knox, Mrs. P. G. Alston, Mrs. J. N. Pugh, Mrs. W. L. Knight, Mrs. J. B. Hurley, Mrs. J. N. Winslow.

Committee on Extension of Work—Mrs. F. D. Swindell, Mrs. J. G. Fearing, and all the District Secretaries.

Committee on Finance—Mrs. B. B. Adams, Mrs. F. A. Woodard, Mrs. R. C. Craven, Miss Sallie Reese, Mrs. C. H. Fore.

Committee on Platform Courtesies—Mrs. Wiggins, Mrs. P. L. Woodard.

Committee on Resolutions—Mrs. W. A. Stanbury, Mrs. Felix Harvey, Mrs. W. H. Call.

Committee on Children's Work—Mrs. N. H. D. Wilson, Mrs. G. R. Barrow, Mrs. W. H. Neal, Mrs. Marion Newsom, Mrs. H. C. Spiers, Mrs. John Daniels, Mrs. Stanback, Mrs. L. M. Hendren.

The motion that every delegate in the Conference be placed on Committees was carried and the chair requested that the names be enrolled by the Chairman of Committees.

Conference requested that telegrams be sent Mesdames N. E. Edgerton and R. O. Burton. The chair appointed Mrs. Spiers to send former, Mrs. Mann, the latter.

The report of Joint Meeting of the executive officers and district secretaries was read by Mrs. W. A. Stanbury and considered by items.

Items 1, 2, and 3, were adopted.

On motion the whole report was adopted.

(*See Report.*)

The Conference unanimously voted to retain the name of the Bright Jewels for the Junior Division.

In the discussion loving tributes were paid to the sacred memory of Mrs. Black, better known as "Aunt Mary."

On motion the following reports were adopted:

Report of Conference Corresponding Secretary of Foreign Department; Report of Conference Corresponding Secretary of Home Department; Report of Treasurer of Foreign Department; Report of Treasurer of Home Department; Report of Third Vice-President of Home Department.

The chair announced the following Nominating Committee:

Mesdames. F. B. McKinne, H. C. Spiers, A. M. Gates, J. L. Horne, J. F. Ray, George H. Hawkins, D. W. Bullock, E. C. Duncan, C. P. Dey, H. J. Faison and Miss Emma Matthews.

At 12:30 the session adjourned to enter upon the half hour devoted to the noon devotion, conducted by Miss Emma Page.

Two verses of hymn 431 were sung.

The 119th Psalm was read and was given as the thought of the hour.

Truths from "Quicken Thou Me in Thy Way—Make Me Alive," were developed in a plea for consecrated lives for the Master's service.

Prayer by Miss Page.

The Conference adjourned with singing of the last two verses of 431, to meet in an afternoon session at 3 o'clock.

FRIDAY—AFTERNOON SESSION

At 3 P. M. the Conference opened with devotional exercises conducted by Mrs. B. B. Adams.

Hymn 677 was sung.

Mrs. W. H. Speight led in prayer.

The Shepherd Psalm repeated in concert led by Mrs. Adams.

The minutes of the morning session were read and approved.

The report of Field Secretary of Home Department was read by Miss Lillie Duke and adopted.

(*See Report.*)

The report led to a very interesting and instructive discussion.

The report of Fourth Vice-President of Home Department was read by Mrs. W. H. Speight and adopted.

Mrs. Hankins, mother of our missionary, Miss Ida, was introduced to the Conference.

Durham was selected as the next place of meeting; January the month of the Conference, and the period of the meeting to embrace a Sunday.

The Conference adjourned with the announcements.

FRIDAY—EVENING SESSION

The exercises opened with processional, "The World for Christ," by children, Philatheas and Baracas.

Prayer by Rev. M. Bradshaw.

Song by children.

Scripture lesson, the repeating of the 23rd Psalm in Concert; led by pastor.

Song "Gloria Patri."

Miss Annie Bass, City Missionary, Danville, Va., gave an interesting talk on the needs of the work in the home cities.

The following reports were read:—report of Fourth Vice-President of Foreign Dept., Mrs. N. H. D. Wilson; report of the First Vice-President of Home Department, Mrs. G. R. Barrow.

Song, "Lead On O King Eternal."

The Banners awarded by the Foreign Department were presented by Mrs. L. L. Hendren to the following successful bands:

Hamlet—Miss Myrtle McNealy.

Laurinburg—Mrs. W. H. Neal.

Memorial—Durham, Mrs. Street.

Mrs. T. H. Street on behalf of the bands, accepted the banners with thanks.

The banner awarded by the Home Department, won by the Fairmont Junior Division, was presented by Mrs. G. R. Barrow to Miss Georgia Biggs, District Secretary of Rockingham District, to be sent to the successful Juniors.

Little Miss Almeda Trevajo, Cuba, who gave the Cuban banner, was introduced to the Conference and sang the national hymn of her country.

Recessional: "The Whole Wide World for Jesus."

The exercises closed with the announcements by Mrs. R. B. John.

The exercises were pretty, interesting, and instructive, and reflected much credit upon the Committee.

SATURDAY—MORNING SESSION

At 9:30 A. M. the Conference opened with devotional exercises conducted by Mrs. L. L. Hendren.

"What a Friend We Have in Jesus," was sung.

Scripture lesson, 1 John, fourth chapter, read with comments.

Prayer by Mrs. Faison.

The minutes of morning session were read and approved.

The chair added the names of Mesdames Jessie Simpson and A. D. Muse to the Nominating Committee.

The following District reports were read and approved:

Warrenton District, Foreign, read by Mrs. K. P. Black.

(*See Report.*)

Warrenton District, Home, Mrs. I. T. Wilkins.

(*See Report.*)

Raleigh District, Home, read by Mrs. G. R. Barrow.

(*See Report.*)

Rockingham District, Home, read by Miss Georgia Biggs.

(*See Report.*)

Superintendent of Press Work, Home, Mrs. J. W. Bowlan.

(*See Report.*)

The above report was supplemented with remarks by Mrs. Street.

Mrs. Swindell extended an invitation to the Conference to attend a reception given by Mrs. Mortimer Pleasants at the residence of Mrs. J. D. Wells, West Nash Street, 8:30 to 11:00 P. M.

The report of Committee on Social Service and Local Work was read by Mrs. W. H. Speight and adopted.

(*See Report.*)

Bishop Lambeth was introduced to the body and gave a short review of the work in the foreign fields.

Thanks were expressed for review by Mrs. Willis.

Report on Investigation of the Needs of the Undeveloped Fields was read by Mrs. Speight.

The report was explained by Mrs. John, and supplemented with remarks by several members of the Conference.

The following reports of District Secretaries were read and accepted:

Durham District, Home, Mrs. A. M. Gates.
Durham District, Foreign, Mrs. T. H. Street.
Newberne, Home, Mrs. J. E. Underwood.
Newberne, Foreign, Mrs. H. J. Faison.
Elizabeth City District, Home, Mrs. J. G. Fearing.
Elizabeth City District, Foreign, Mrs. J. N. Winslow.
Washington District, Home, Mrs. F. A. Woodard.
Washington District, Foreign, Mrs. J. L. Horne.

Two verses of hymn 544 sung.

On motion of Mrs. J. G. Fearing, the Conference requested Mrs. Swindell to send a telegram of love and sympathy to Miss Blanche Fentress.

The report of Nominating Committee was read by Mrs. A. M. Gates.

The Conference went into an executive session and the following officers were elected:

Miss Emma Page ..... President
Mrs. N. H. D. Wilson ..... First Vice-President
Miss Lillie Duke ..... Second Vice-President
Mrs. W. B. North ..... Third Vice-President
Mrs. W. H. Speight ..... Fourth Vice-President
Mrs. R. B. John ..... Corresponding Secretary, Home Dept.
Mrs. F. D. Swindell ..... Corresponding Secretary, Foreign Dept.
Mrs. N. E. Edgerton ..... Treasurer, Home Dept.
Mrs. B. B. Adams ..... Treasurer, Foreign Dept.
Mrs. W. A. Stanbury ..... Recording Secretary

The Executive Committee nominated the following for Conference Superintendent and District Secretaries and they were elected by acclamation:

Mrs. Ida T. Wilkins .....Superintendent of Supplies
Mrs. E. C. Duncan .....Superintendent of Press Work
Miss Lillie Duke .....Field Secretary

DISTRICT SECRETARIES

Durham District .....Mrs. B. N. Mann
Elizabeth City District .....Mrs. J. N. Winslow
Fayetteville District .....Mrs. A. D. Muse
Newberne District .....Mrs. H. J. Faison
Raleigh District .....Mrs. F. B. McKinne
Rockingham District .....Mrs. J. F. Ray
Warrenton District .....Mrs. W. T. Shaw
Washington District .....Mrs. W. T. Baugham
Wilmington District .....Mrs. W. F. Murphy

On motion, Mrs. R. A. Willis, our beloved Foreign President, was made President, Emeritus.

Miss Page, our newly elected President was presented to the body, and gave as our Conference motto the following truth deducted from the 8th verse of the first chapter of Acts: "Our whole heart for our whole work."

After the singing of three verses of 654, Conference adjourned for luncheon.

SATURDAY—AFTERNOON SESSION

The devotional exercises were conducted by Miss Emma C. Page.

Hymn 304 was sung.

Prayer by Miss Page.

Verses from Matthew and Mark were read.

Miss Page made an interesting talk on "United Service." Her deeply spiritual and uplifting talk gave as the unit for real consecrated service this truth, "Only one thing at a time and only One to please."

The devotional service concluded with prayer by Mrs. John.

The following reports were read and accepted:

Raleigh District, Foreign, read by Mrs. McKinne.

Rockingham District, Foreign, read by Mrs. Ray.

Wilmington District, Foreign, read by Mrs. Bullock.

Fayetteville District, Foreign, read by Mrs. M. J. Simpson.

Fayetteville District, Home, read by Mrs. A. D. Muse.

The following reports were read and adopted:

(*See Reports.*)

Report of Committee on Mission Study Class, Mrs. W. B. North.

Report of Finance Committee, Mrs. B. B. Adams.

Report of Committee on Juvenile Work, Mrs. W. A. Stanbury.

Report of Committee on Young People's Work, Miss Vara Herring.

Report of Committee on Extension of Work, Mrs. A. M. Gates.

Report of Second Vice-President, Miss Lillie Duke.

On motion the office of "Field Secretary" was added to the list of officers and the Executive Committee appointed Miss Duke, Field Secretary for 1913.

On motion, the Editor of the Columns in the *Advocate* was requested to place the names of the newly elected officers at the head of the Column.

The Conference received a telegram from Miss Blanche Fentress, Baltimore, Md., with message: Second Thessalonians, Chapter 2, 16 and 17 verses.

Mrs. F. D. Swindell, Corresponding Secretary of Foreign Department, announced the following apportionments of Pledge for 1913:

Durham District	$ 1,600.00
Elizabeth City District	1,200.00
Fayetteville District	900.00
Newberne District	1,200.00
Raleigh District	1,700.00

Rockingham District	1,800.00
Warrenton District	900.00
Washington District	1,000.00
Wilmington District	900.00
Bright Jewel Bands	1,000.00

Mrs. Ray, District Secretary of Rockingham District, requested that the pledge for her district be raised $200, making pledge assumed by her $2000.

Miss Lillie Duke tendered her resignation as Second Vice-President; Mrs. Mortimer Pleasants was elected to fill that office.

Messrs. W. M. Sanders and W. H. Call were elected Auditors of the Foreign and Home Finances, respectively.

The following were elected alternates to the Board Meeting: Foreign Department, Miss Emma Page; Home Department, Mrs. James G. Fearing.

The motion to place the office of Field Secretary on a salary basis was carried. The amount of salary was referred to the Executive Committee for action.

Mrs. R. B. John, with a tap of the gavel, declared the First Annual Session of the Woman's Missionary Conference of the North Carolina Conference adjourned *sine die.*

MRS. R. A. WILLIS,
MRS. R. B. JOHN,
Presiding Officers.
MRS. B. N. MANN, Sec'y.
MRS. J. F. RAY, Asst. Sec'y.

SUNDAY—MORNING SERVICE

11 A. M.

Voluntary, "Jublate Deo."

Hymn, "Holy, Holy, Holy."

The Apostle's Creed.

Prayer, Rev. L. S. Massey, Raleigh.

Response—"The Seven Fold Amen."

First Scripture Lesson, St. John 15, first 17 verses; Acts 1, chapter 6, the first 24 verses.

Gloria Patri.

Second Scripture Lesson, Mark, 11th chapter.

Voluntary.

Announcements.

Offertory.

Hymn 185.

Prayer, Bishop W. R. Lambeth.

Sermon.

Bishop W. R. Lambeth, announcing as his general subject, Intercessory Prayer and the Kingdom. He read verses from Mark, 11th chapter, and announced the relation of intercessory prayer to the Kingdom.

Prayer was the great dynamic in the Christian Work, and God answered intercessory prayer.

What is Prayer? It is a desire—a supreme desire, a discontent to present conditions.

Prayer is a confession, prayer is a thanksgiving; prayer is intercession. Answers to intercessory prayer were illustrated in the lives of Henry Havelock, Gordan, Robert Edward Lee and Thomas Stonewall Jackson. Obedience and loyalty are the results of intercessory prayer and give a pre-eminence in Christ. Our failures in life are due to disobedience of the laws and because the desire is not in accord with the will of God. Prayer is both subjective and objective.

If we seek Him to know His will, His Kingdom shall come.

These searching truths were brought home to every heart by some illustrations from life experiences, especially on objective prayer.

This able sermon appealed strongly to our hearts and is a call to us for prayer lives—and intercessors for the work.

SUNDAY—AFTERNOON SESSION, 3 P. M.

Devotional exercises, Mrs. B. N. Mann.

Song, "Take My Life and Let It Be."

Scripture lesson, first Psalm.

Prayer, Mrs. Mann.

"Face to Face," impressively and sweetly sung by Mrs. R. B. Watson.

Miss Sarah Regan made an interesting talk on the wrong conditions under which many are living, working and suffering. Her description of her plan of managing the Wesley House, Orangeburg, S. C., was instructive and gave to many a desire to engage in the work and better the condition of the needy.

The "Consecration Service" was a service of deep consciousness of the sweetness of the fellowship of the children of our Kind Father and left with us the determination to give our lives to greater service for the upbuilding and the uplifting of humanity. Two young ladies consecrated their lives to the Master's service.

Mrs. Frank Page read an interesting letter from our Missionary, Miss Hankins.

This beautiful and impressive service closed with hymn 349.

SUNDAY—EVENING SERVICE, 7:30 P. M.

Voluntary, anthem.

Hymn, "From Greenland's Icy Mountains."

Prayer.

Response, "Saviour Listen to Our Prayer."

Scripture Lesson, Romans, 10th chapter.

Gloria.

Anthem, "The Day is Ended."

Resolutions read by Mrs. Harvey were adopted by a standing vote.

Hymn 655.

Address on Brazil and Africa, Bishop W. R. Lambeth.

He stated that Africa's need for the Gospel was colossal.

The deepest and darkest need was in Central Africa.

He made an earnest plea for the mission work in Africa, saying "The Master said 'Go,' and we had not gone."

After the address, the Holy Communion was administered by Bishop Lambeth, Rev. L. S. Massey, and Rev. M. Bradshaw.

Benediction by Bishop Lambeth.

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT

HISTORICAL

The Society was Organized at Charlotte, N. C., December 1, 1878, by the Missionary Secretary of the M. E. Church, South, Rev. A. W. Wilson, D. D.

Annual Meeting.	*Amts. Collected.*
1879—Wilson, N. C.	$ 453.55
1880—Winston, N. C.	774.00
1881—Durham, N. C.	884.82
1882—Raleigh, N. C.	1,500.00
1883—Durham, N. C.	1,455.28
1884—Wilmington, N. C.	2,238.55
1885—Raleigh, N. C.	2,071.90
1886—Goldsboro, ... C.	2,276.16
1887—Greensboro, N. C.	3,379.73
1888—New Bern, N. C.	2,057.04
1889—Charlotte, N. C.	3,810.89
1890—Henderson, N. C.	2,983.85
1891—Durham, N. C.	3,292.47
1892—Goldsboro, N. C.	2,349.95
1893—New Bern, N. C.	2,781.44
1894—Raleigh, N. C.	2,684.78
1895—Fayetteville, N. C.	3,217.41
1896—Kinston, N. C.	3,320.53
1897—Littleton, N. C.	3,668.99
1898—Durham, N. C.	3,705.44
1899—New Bern, N. C.	3,396.43
1900—Wilmington, N. C.	4,362.93
1901—Wilson, N. C.	5,214.64
1902—Raleigh, N. C.	4,277.84
1903—Rockingham, N. C.	4,521.45
1904—Elizabeth City, N. C.	5,807.08
1905—Louisburg, N. C.	6,328.10
1906—Warrenton, N. C.	8,438.28
1907—Greenville, N. C.	9,971.53
1908—Goldsboro, N. C.	10,043.22
1909—Laurinburg, N. C.	10,212.53
1910—Roxboro, N. C.	11,286.70
1911—New Bern, N. C.	13,572.10
1912—Littleton, N. C.	15,074.44
1913—Wilson, N. C.	20,941.26
Grand Total	$216,493.91

MESSAGE OF MRS. R. A. WILLIS, PRESIDENT OF THE WOMAN'S FOREIGN MISSIONARY SOCIETY

The message I would bring to you today, my co-workers, is "Lift up your eyes and look!" This the first message of our Lord, to the disciples, is as urgent and beautiful to-day as when it fell from the Master's lips. It was the first lesson on Christian service. This same narrowness of vision that Christ would have broadened in his disciples is still strong in the church. What we need most is the vision that will take in the whole world's need.

A missionary organization is one mouth-piece through which the King of Kings sends messages to the uttermost parts of the earth. "Say not ye, There are yet four months, and then cometh harvest? Behold I say unto you Lift up your eyes and look on the fields; for they are white already to harvest."

This urgent command comes to us to-day and we have but to lift up our eyes and survey the fields at home and abroad. That cramped, narrow vision that would confine us to this field or that, that would emphasize the urgent demands and strenuous effort, in one direction, when great and crying needs are calling for help in others, is a bane to any missionary enterprise. A glance at the condition of our oldest missionary field, China, calls for redoubled effort of the women of our church. A field that after fifty years of endeavor on the part of those interested in the salvation of that benighted land, is now awakened from its long sleep and we have but to look to see that not only the Church but the nation as well, is calling for the harvester.

The fields are already white. Is it not time for us as an organization to go forward? Korea, the wonder of the world, in evangelistic progress, has by no means reached the goal of her civilization. Since her annexation to Japan, difficulties have arisen, converts are fewer and progress is slower. Dr. Pinson, our missionary secretary, recently on the field sounds a note of alarm. It is a crucial time. Let us do our part. In Brazil and other fields where papal authority holds fast her reins and would arrest all progress in protestant endeavor calls for reinforcements. Nothing but the power of God through the consecrated efforts of His embassadors can break the chains of Catholicism.

But with uplifted eyes we can but see the urgent claims at our door. It may be in your own neighborhood. It may be in the outskirts of your town. But certainly the fields are white in the slums and congested districts in the cities all over our south land. But even more especially does the cry come up from our frontier, where great hosts of foreigners are landing not only hungry for food to satisfy physical wants but hungry for food that yill satisfy spiritual needs.

Let forward be our watchword. We have worked hitherto, but

this new order of things calls for enlarged vision. It calls for wisdom. Then at the very beginning of this conference let us commit ourselves unreservedly to God. Some one has said that in missionary endeavor the prime requisite is definite prevailing prayer.

The organization of Boards are well nigh perfect. The world is open. The unevangelized millions are waiting. Everything is ready for the breath of God to put life into organism. He waits for definite asking. Missions prosper most when God's people are most in prayer. We especially need his presence now. Our finite minds are so easily blinded. Woman's missionary work born by prayer certainly can not live and grow and do its share of service except by definite prevailing prayer. On this body of Christian workers at this crucial time rests responsibilities, wide in significance, momentous in scope.

Let us work, watch and pray and we can leave results with our Great Leader.

REPORTS

REPORT OF THE CORRESPONDING SECRETARY OF THE FOREIGN MISSIONARY SOCIETY FOR YEAR 1912

Number of Districts	9
New Auxiliaries, Adult	6
New Auxiliaries, Young People	2
New Auxiliaries, Junior Division (Bright Jewels)	12
Total New Auxiliaries	19
New Members, Adult	100
New Members, Young People	56
New Members, Junior Division (Bright Jewels)	208
Total New Members	364
Auxiliaries, Adult	118
Auxiliaries, Young People	30
Auxiliaries, Junior Division (Bright Jewels)	76
Total Auxiliaries	364
Members, Adult	3000
Members, Young People	602
Members, Junior Division (Bright Jewels)	2554
Total Members	6156
Total Baby Enrollment	60
Life Members	285
Honorary Life Members	15
Life Patrons	6
Subscribers to Missionary Voice	400
Subscribers to Young Christian Worker	407
Missionaries Supported	13
Scholarships	17
Bible Women	8
Sub-stations	5
Hospital, Mary Black, supported by Bright Jewels	1
Day Schools	4

Blanche E. Fentress, Day School.
Mary Helm, Day School.
Joy Hardie.
Reavis.
Widow's Home

Amount Pledged by Conference	$12,000.00
Total Amount raised this year	20,941.26
Grand Total since Organization	216.493.91

Names of Scholarships

Mary Frances Hay, Wonsan, Korea, supported by Newberne Centenary Auxiliary.

Emma Finlayson, Belle Horizonte, Brazil, supported by Faison Auxiliary.

Mamie Barrett, Petropolis, Brazil, supported by Young People of Franklinton.

Mary T. Pescud, Rio, Brazil, supported by the Young Woman's Auxiliary of Edenton Street, Raleigh.

Minnie Mangum Wilson, Porto Allegre, Brazil, supported by Maxton Young People Auxiliary.

Della Bobbett, Soochow, China, supported by Banks Chapel Auxiliary.

Bettie Vann, Songdo, Korea, supported by Franklinton Young People No. 2.

Lula Hester Rhodes, Mexico, supported by Littleton College.

Elizabeth Stagg, Rio, Brazil, supported by Bright Jewels of Memorial Church, Durham.

Lillian Gill, Petropolis, Brazil, supported by Laurinburg Young People.

Annie Dixon, Wonsan, Korea, supported by Goldsboro Young People.

Maud Jones, Sooshow, China, supported by Red Springs Young People.

Sarah Margaret Barnes, Brazil, supported by Maxton Auxiliary.

Ella Martin Page, Petropolis, Brazil, supported by Biscoe Young People.

Clara Martin, Songdo, Korea, supported by Mrs. Frank Page.

Bible Women

S. W. Humber, Soochow, China, supported by Mrs. S. W. Humber.

Ethel Mercer, China, supported by Red Springs Auxiliary.

Hellen Clark Fiett, China, supported by Sanford Auxiliary.

Lou Hill Davis, Wonsan, Korea, supported by Louisburg Auxiliary.

Beatrice Jenkins, Wonsan, Korea, supported by Banks Chapel Auxiliary.

Elizabeth Stanback, Soochow, supported by Mt. Gilead Young People.

Jessie Gray, Wonsan, Korea, supported by Lumberton Young People.

Fannie Wood Steele, Wonsan, Korea, supported by Rockingham Young People.

Some of the Missoionaries Supported by the Conference Society are

Miss Mary T. Pescud, Petropolis, Brazil.

Miss Elizabeth Lamb, Porto Allegre, Brazil.

Miss Ida Hankins, Korea.

Miss Annie E. Bradshaw, China. Miss Bradshaw is supported by two ladies.

Miss Mattie Ivey, Korea. At this time Miss Ivel is in a hospital in the Home Land. She sends a message of love to this Conference and asks for special prayer in her behalf—that she may be restored to health and to her beloved work in Korea.

We have one Missionary candidate at the Methodist Training School, Nashville, Tenn., Miss Lillian Moore, of Stare, N. C.

Our report is encouraging and inspiring, showing an increase of membership, specials and finances. There has been one bequest to the work of $1500.00 made by Mrs. T. H. Gattin.

Would that others of our consecrated women would remember this great work in their wills.

The Work For the Year

1. Pledge of twelve thousand dollars.
2. Dues.
3. Conference expense fund.
4. Missionary candidate fund.
5. Missionary Retirement fund.
6. Scholarships.
7. Bible Women.
8. Sub-(Mission) Stations.
   The Blanche E. Fentress School.
   Mary Helm School.
   Joy Hardie Bible School.
   Nurse Training School, Soochow, China, supported by Hamlet Auxiliary.
   Reavis School.
   Widow's Home.
9. The Scarritt Bible and Training School.
10. The Council Fund.

This is the financial part, the other is more important—much and continual prayer.

Week of Prayer

Auxiliaries and Juvenile Bands in every Church, Mission Study Classes in many Auxiliaries, and District Meetings in all the Districts.

Regret that the Forward Movement has failed to move us to double our membership, and double our offerings. Probably there were obstacles that hampered this part of the work.

We have excellent District Secretaries, to whom many thanks are due for their faithfulness to duty. Some of these officers have been a long time in harness and wrought well. One has received special praise from our General Secretary.

Our Bright Jewels

I accentuate the word OUR because there is scarcely a parent in our Great Church Membership who has not had, or who has not now a Bright Jewel in his family.

Our Jewels are not merely ornaments but are enthusiastic workers. You will be surprised to hear from their superintendent the great work they have accomplished this year.

The pioneer Bright Jewels are fathers and mothers of the Bright Jewels of to-day.

In erecting a monument to their "Aunt Mary," they have builded their own.

We recommend that the name their founder gave them, "Bright Jewels," be continued.

Our Young People

This department, containing as it does, the "The Flower of the Land," has not been developed as it should be. The organizations we have are doing well. We hope that the Second Vice-President will magnify her office this year by thoroughly organizing and planning the work of the young people. Should this condition obtain, we may expect great things.

Our literature has been well distributed, am not so sure about it being read. May I advise that this be done, since it is our source of information and inspiration?

The Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the North Carolina Conference has just closed its thirty-fifth year, and, at the same time, its organization as a Foreign Missionary Society. Henceforth it will be known as the Foreign Department of the Woman's Missionary Society of the North Carolina Conference.

Thirty-five years ago, in the city of Charlotte, I wrote the Minutes at its organization, and very closely have I been allied with it since that memorable day. And now, standing at the parting of the ways, I am making its last report as a Foreign Secretary.

As I am its only charter member present, or in this Conference, I hope you will pardon me for tenderly lingering for a moment.

Time turns backward tonight and takes me to that first annual meeting of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society here in Wilson, in 1879, held under the sheltering wing of the Annual Conference. A few timid, praying, hopeful women gather to report the outcome of our first year's work—and right proud were we to report amount raised for all purposes $453.55.

Nourished as it were by prayer and sacrifice, the plant grew in favor.

In 1890, when our Annual Conference divided because of its unwieldy proportions, and, in order to broaden out, became two Conferences, the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society divided—making two good sized bodies, which have rapidly grown since then.

The combined membership of the two, last year, 1912, being 10,152, and the total money raised the same year $31,512.30.

Our first Annual Meeting was held in Wilson in 1879; amount of money reported $453.55. Also our Annual Meeting in 1901 was entertained here in Wilson. Amount raised $5,214.64. And since our first annual meeting was here it seems but fitting that our final meeting as the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society should be held in Wilson, in 1913. Is it a coincident that its epochal years occur here?

The passing of the old regime brings sadness to those of us identified with it since its birth, to us who have watched and tendered it like a mother to her child.

But the time for change has come. We accept the decision of the majority, and with loyalty, we shall do our best to advance the great Missionary work. Union must not mean any less interest in Foreign Missions.

So with virile optimism we will plan to scale greater heights in 1913.

Never before in the history of the world has there been such a demand for foreign missionaries, for schools and for churches in the fields beyond.

The pre-eminent question of to-day is Foreign Missions.

Korea, who with so much credulity first accepted the Gospel Message and whom we hoped to see Christianized in a generation, is now hesitating and uneasy. She may be discouraged over the many disappointments and sorrows coming to her. So, as we keep the "Morning Watch Prayer" for this little nation, may the Sun of Righteousness light up her every city, hamlet and home, showing them the Comforter and the King in His Beauty.

Help in Cuba and Brazil in so imperative that for us to delay is almost criminal.

But no country in the Orient or Occident needs help right now like colossal old China. Prayer has broken down her walls of ancient customs and superstitions and her government is giving place to modernity.

That was a fortunate night for her when she went to sleep an Empire and awoke a Republic. This is her testing time. Let us use diplomacy and help make a Christian nation in her transition.

The cry now comes from darkest Africa. The piteousness of her appeal, "Come over and help us," should especially touch the heart of our Southland.

The harvest is ready, but where are the reapers? Is there one here called to put in the sickle? God help some one to decide tonight!

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. F. D. SWINDELL,
Corresponding Secretary.

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE FIRST VICE-PRESIDENT OF THE WOMAN'S FOREIGN MISSIONARY SOCIETY OF THE NORTH CAROLINA CONFERENCE

In the month of May in the year 1878, in the city of Baltimore, the Woman's Missionary Society of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, was organized. In the month of December of the same year, in the city of Charlotte, the Woman's Missionary Society of the North Carolina Conference was organized. Our first officers were: Mrs. N. H. D. Wilson, of Greensboro, President; Mrs. J. A. Cuninggim ("Aunt Lucy"), of Wilson, Vice-President; Mrs. F. M. Bumpas of Greensboro, Corresponding Secretary; Miss Blanche Fentress, of Raleigh, Recording Secretary; and Mrs. E. J. Lilly, of Fayetteville, Treasurer. At the end of the first year there were 24 auxiliaries, which had raised nearly $500. The spirit of missions which had taken hold of the women spread from them to the children of the churches. Bands of little workers were gathered here and there for the work. Among these were the Cary Helpers, led by Mrs. Virginia Baker, an invalid who was confined to her bed most of the time, the Greenboro Busy Bees, which were kept buzzing by Aunt Bumpas, the Chapel Hill Children's Society under Mrs. J. B. Martin, the Young Workers of Kinston and the Weldon Children's Missionary Society. These were in working order from 1879 to 1880 and 1882. But the woman who first saw the need of organizing the children for systematic missionary work was our "Aunt Mary" of blessed memory, Mrs. Mary Black, wife of Dr. W. S. Black of the North Carolina Conference. Tall, commanding, gentle and sweet, with graces of mind and heart, she was peculiarly fitted for organizing and leading this work. Her efforts met prompt response. She created an organization which she named "Bright Jewels," opened a column in the Raleigh Christian Advocate, and soon one of the most popular features of the paper were the letters from the Jewels and "Aunt Mary's" loving, wise, inspiring responses. Year by year the work grew. In 1892 there were 84 bands, more than we have today, and they raised $1645.53. In the fall of the next year, 1893, after months of suffering this great woman went to her reward. The woman's Missionary Advocate of December, 1893, said: "A tribute to the memory of Mrs. Black was the first intimation received in this office that she had ceased to labor and had gone to rest. This news was startling and distressing. Suitable notices have been prepared by some of her colaborers, the members of the Woman's Board of Missions. Mrs. Black, long before she became a member of the Board, was beloved and admired for her individual qualities of mind and heart as well as for the grand work she had accomplished in organizing the 'Bright Jewels,' of the North Carolina Conference." Memorial

services were held throughout our Conference, children and grown people alike grieving for one so dearly beloved and useful. Where could one be found to take her place? The workers perish but God's work goes on. In December, 1893, Mrs. L. M. Hendren, "Aunt Lizzie," was chosen Superintendent and Treasurer of the Juvenile Work. For eighteen years she gave the work her undivided attention and her earnest prayers, until "Aunt Lizzie" became a beloved household name in almost every Methodist home in the bounds of the North Carolina Conference. And she is still with us, our Honorary Superintendent, loved and honored by us all. Soon after Mrs. Hendren took charge, a returned missionary brought to the home church a plea for a hospital a Soochow, China, for the women and children whose awful needs of body, mind and spirit were appalling. Our ever faithful and alert Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. F. D. Swindell, took this work for the Bright Jewels of the North Carolina Conference. With loving willingness the children speedily raised the necessary amount and the Mary Black Memorial Hospital came into being, and has been until this day the special care of the children of the North Carolina Conference. Thousands and thousands of suffering women and children have there found relief and pour their blessings upon the heads of Bright Jewels.

Two years ago, on account of failing health, "Aunt Lizzie" found that she would have to give up the work. Her mantle fell on me, and I feel highly honored to be called to follow two such women. While I have labored, "Aunt Lizzie" has upheld me by her prayers and has helped me in every way possible. I can never thank her enough for all she has done for me.

We come now to the close of another year's work. In spite of being a transition year, 1912 is the best year of our history. God has richly rewarded the work of our Bright Jewels, and has poured out His blessings upon them. Our hearts are filled with rejoicing. Our Pledge for the Mary Black Memorial Hospital is more than raised. Our totals are as follows:

Number of bands	77
Number of members	2563
Subscribers to Y. C. Worker	409
Raised for dues	$ 819.42
" " Mary Black Hospital	1248.24
" " Conference Expense	12.13
" " Retirement Fund	70
" " Elizabeth Stagg Scholarship	120.00
" " Cary Bible Woman	30.00
" " Candidate Fund	3.90
" " Scarritt B. & T. School	4.00
Total	$ 2,238.39

The largest amount raised by a band was $166, by the Memorial Church Band. The next largest and the largest per member, was Laurinburg, $141.88; $2.58 per member. Memorial gets the banner for the largest amount, and Laurinburg for the largest amount per member. Many bands deserve honorable mention, among them Pantego which raised $2.24 per member. I wish to thank all the children and their lady managers for their faithful work. If the men and the women were as eager to work as the children we would sooner win the world for Christ. Thirteen new bands were organized during the year. It is with peculiar pleasure that I give the banner for the largest increase in members to the Elise Dailey Band of Hamlet. The band was organized early in the year with 19 members and now it numbers 71. Elise Dailey, the little daughter of Rev. and Mrs. J. A. Dailey was with them a few brief years, making their home happy and then went away to await their coming in the Heavenly Home, leaving the influence of her sweet life as a blessing to all who knew her. This band is her memorial and has brought comfort to the sad heart of her mother, the efficient lady manager.

Yes, 1912 has been a good year, and we thank God for it. It is with a glad and thankful, yet anxious heart that I come to this meeting. I am truly glad that the work is to be broadened, that the children are to be taught to see the need which is near as well as the need which is afar. Yet I can but fear that this may mean serious loss to our work unless it can be done without breaking sacred ties which have been our inspiration and help through many years. I desire that the work henceforth be strictly according to the plan of the Council, but so far as that permits I plead for the preservation of that which we have found helpful through the years. Thousands of our children and of us, once children now a little older grown, love the name "Bright Jewels"; for over thirty years it has been our name. We would keep it if possible. There is nothing in the name which limits it to the foreign work. Surely the Master's "Bright Jewels" will shine at home as well as abroad. Mrs. Ratcliff, the First Vice-President of the Woman's Council, who is in charge of the children's work for the whole church, writes me that other conference societies are taking special names and that there is no reason why the North Carolina Conference Society should not call their children's work Bright Jewels if they desire. I therefore recommend that the Baby Division and the Junior Division of the North Carolina Conference Society be called the Bright Jewels. Second: Our special work for years has been the Mary Black Memorial Hospital. The work of the hospital, its sacred name, and our years of work for it, endear it to the children and to the lady managers. The study of the reports of the Bright Jewels and of the Mite Box Brigades will show that we will be easily within what we may well expect our children to raise an-

other year if we pledge $1,000 for the Mary Black Hospital and assume a Home Mission Special of $666 2-3, which would be according to the proportion required by the Council for the division of the Mite Box money. I therefore recommend that this be done. Third: My experience for the past two years convinces me that the only way for the officer in charge of the children's work to keep in touch with each of the bands is for her to act as treasurer. I therefore suggest that the First Vice-President be made the Treasurer of the children's work. And finally: The detailed report of our work by bands was omitted from last year's minutes. I request that the accompanying statistics be made a part of the published report of this meeting.

In surrendering my work, I devoutly pray that the blessing of our God may be upon the children of the North Carolina Conference in their united work in the broader mission field, and upon her whom your wisdom shall choose to lead them.

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. N. H. D. WILSON,

First Vice-President N. C. Conf. W. F. Missionary Society.

Jan. 22nd, 1913.

REPORT BY BANDS

Durham District

	Members	Subs. Y.W.C.	Dues	Pledge	Total
Branson	10	18	$ 83	$	$ 83
Burlington			1.75		1.75
Chapel Hill No. 1	33		4.00	10.00	14.00
Chapel Hill No. 2	23		1.90		1.90
Leasburg	24	1	13.67	10.00	23.67
Memorial	96	15	13.69	28.10	*166.00
Memorial Baby Roll			4.21		
Roxboro	40	2	23.30	80.09	103.39
Trinity	74	10	15.90	42.30	58.20
Yanceyville	20	21	10.60	3.00	13.60
Total	320	67	$89.85	$173.49	$383.34

Elizabeth City District

Anderson	30	4	$ 13.56	$ 20.00	$ 33.56
First Church	102		5.86	9.75	15.61
1st Church Baby Division	16	6	50	3.00	3.50
Hertford	54	21	13.57	15.15	28.72
Pantego	16	5	8.00	27.83	35.83
Roper	54	20	9.07		9.07
Wanchese	58	20	28.50	30.90	*64.33
Total	330	76	$79.06	$106.63	$190.62

Fayetteville District

	Members	Subs. Y.W.C.	Dues	Pledge	Total
Hay Street	20	4	$ 5.26	$	$ 5.26
Osgood	13	2	5.70	2.30	8.00
Carthage	22		10.60		10.60
Camp Ground (New)					
Total	55	6	$21.56	$2.30	$23.86

Newberne District

Elm St. Goldsboro (New)			$	$	$
Faison	15		7.30	3.00	10.30
Hookerton	18		9.36	4.00	13.36
Kinston	35	13	16.15	37.25	*61.40
Morehead City	123	9	13.45	6.19	19.64
Newberne	52	10	20.45	39.00	59.45
St. Paul	21		5.00		5.00
Total	264	32	$71.71	$89.44	$169.15

Raleigh District

Banks Chapel	25	5	$ 8.20	$ 25.40	*$35.00
Benson (New)					
Cary	43		21.85	26.65	$78.50
Edenton Street	24		3.60	2.00	*6.00
Franklinton	37	16	22.35	40.92	*65.27
Franklinton Baby Roll	21		5.25	10.00	15.25
Four Oaks	19	8	10.75	12.96	23.71
Louisburg	39	15	20.75	38.00	*60.75
Oxford	33	5	17.40	27.05	44.45
Plank Chapel	12	4	6.75	15.00	*22.00
Salem	6	3	4.75	3.00	7.75
Smithfield	25	5	14.16	10.63	24.79
Total	284	61	$135.71	$211.61	$383.37

Rockingham District

Aberdeen	9		$ 3.60	$ 5.60	$ 9.20
Biscoe	32	5	14.25	52.01	66.26
East Laurinburg	22		5.33	23.80	29.13
Gibson	25	4	13.65	40.11	53.76
Hamlet	71	7	12.80	35.00	47.80
Laurinburg	55	10	26.60	115.28	141.88
Lumberton	27	12	9.81	45	10.26
Maxton	47	4	11.75	28.20	39.95
Maxton Junior Laymen	12		5.10	3.45	8.55
Mt. Gilead	47		20.36	11.05	31.41
Raeford	32		12.50		12.50

	Members	Subs. Y.W.C.	Dues	Pledge	Total
Red Springs	27	11	8.87	16.08	24.95
Rockingham	30	6	1.55	20.54	22.09
Troy	19	3	7.35	3.00	10.35
Zion	45	10	5.35	5.00	10.35
Total	500	72	$158.87	$359.57	$518.44
Warrenton District					
Coleraine	16	4	$ 9.25	$ 2.10	$ 11.35
Garysburg	53	6	24.20	30.00	54.20
Henderson	20		7.04	8.48	15.52
Jackson	47	12	14.55	34.40	*49.95
Littleton	44	14	17.75	17.45	*35.95
Macon	23	10	11.95	4.35	16.30
Murfreesboro	50	10	4.07	1.61	5.68
Roanoke Rapids	10		1.20	4.59	5.79
Roxobel	16				
Warren Plains	10		7.71	5.56	13.27
Warrenton	35		6.50	10.30	16.80
Weldon	65	9	30.10	35.00	65.10
Total	386	65	$134.32	$153.84	$289.91
Washington District					
Elm City	36	7	$ 9.85	$ 14.38	$ 24.23
Greenville—No Report..					
Nashville	30	10	4.02		4.02
Rocky Mount	90		33.82	50.00	83.82
Washington	15		3.75		3.75
Wilson	50		17.78	53.01	70.79
Total	221	17	$ 69.22	$117.39	$186.61
Wilmington District					
Burgaw	14		$ 10.19	$	$ 10.19
Grace	46		18.65	10.71	29.36
Ingold	16		1.00		1.00
Magnolia	15		1.25		1.25
Tabor	42		5.80	1.31	7.11
Wallace	44	10	11.44	22.03	33.47
Whiteville	23	3	10.79		10.79
Total	200	13	$59.12	$34.05	$93.17

Districts **Recapitulation**

	No. of Bands	Members	Subscribers Y.C.W.	Dues	Pledge	Total
Durham	9	320	67	$ 89.85	$173.39	*$383.24
Elizabeth City.	6	330	76	79.06	106.63	*190.62
Fayetteville ..	4	55	6	21.56	2.30	23.86
Newberne	7	264	32	71.71	89.44	*169.15
Raleigh	11	284	61	135.71	211.61	*383.37
Rockingham ..	15	500	72	158.87	359.57	518.44
Warrenton ...	12	389	65	134.32	153.84	*289.91
Washington ..	6	221	17	69.22	117.39	186.61
Wilmington ...	7	200	13	59.12	34.07	93.19
Total	77	2563	409	$819.42	$1248.24	$2238.39

*In addition to the amounts paid as dues and on our Pledge, the Mary Black Memorial Hospital, the following amounts were raised for other objects: Elizabeth Stagg Scholarship, Memorial, Durham, $120; Bible Woman, Cary, $30; Conference Expense Fund, (Wanchese, $4.93. Kinston, $4.10; Littleton, 75c; Jackson, 50c; Banks, $1.20; Edenton St., 40c; and Plank Chapel, 25c), $12.13; Retirement Fund (Banks, 20c; Jackson, 50c), 70c; Candidate Fund, Kinston, $3.90; Scarritt Bible and Training School (Franklinton, $2.00; Louisburg, $2.00), $4.00.

ANNUAL REPORT OF DISTRICT SECRETARY OF THE W. F. M. S. OF THE M. E. CHURCH, SOUTH.

DURHAM DISTRICT

Number of Adult Auxiliaries	8
Number of Adult Members	293
Number of subscribers to Young Christian Worker	67
Dues collected for year	$ 243 45
Conference Expense Fund	28 66
Pledge	871 95
Scarritt Bible and Training School	4 00
Special, Week of Prayer	10 05
Annuity	10 90
Scholarships	80 00
Korean Widows	750 00
Young People	24 65
Grand Total	$2023 66

MRS. T. H. STREET,
District Secretary.

ELIZABETH CITY DISTRICT

Total number of Adult Auxiliaries	11
Whole number of members	252
Number added during the year	14
Number Honorary Life members	5
Number Life members	53
Number subscribers to Voice	115
The number of Young People's Societies	2
Number of members	29
Subscribers to the Missionary Voice	2
Number of Bright Jewel Bands	5
Whole number of members	213
Whole number Life members	22
Number Subscribers to Little Workers	115

Total Amount Paid by Adult Auxiliary

Dues	$ 259 30
Conference Expense Fund	38 95
Thank Offering	35 77
Annuity	6 98
Mite Boxes	11 21
Mexico	27 60
Sue Bennett Training School	19 05
Jubilee	80 80
Specials	05
Pledge	513 58
Total	$ 983 29

Amount raised by Young People

Dues	$ 30 50
Pledge	56 30
Total	$ 86 80

Amount raised by Bright Jewels

Dues	$ 79 06
Conference Expense Fund	4 93
Pledge	93 88
Mite Boxes	12 75
Total	$ 190 62

Grand total sent to the Conference Treasurer for the year ending December 31, 1912, $1260.71, an increase of $105.13.

MRS. J. N. WINSLOW,
District Secretary.

FAYETTEVILLE DISTRICT

Whole number of Adult Auxiliaries	8
Whole number of Adult Members	227
Number of Honorary Life Members	1
Number of Life Members	16
Number of American Bible Women	1
Number of subscribers to the Missionary Voice	87

Money Forwarded to Conference Treasurer

Dues	$ 230 15
Conference Expense Fund	20 30
Thank Offering Jubilee	192 21
Missionary Candidate Fund	5 60
Pledge	347 77
Special Donations	120 00
Miscellaneous	11 55
Retirement Fund	50
Total	$ 928 08
Juvenile	23 86
Grand Total	$ 951 94

MRS. JESSIE SIMPSON,
Fayettville, N. C.

WILMINGTON DISTRICT

Whole number of Adult Auxiliares	9
Whole number of Adult Members	204
Number of Auxiliaries organized during the year	2
Number of Members added during the year	39
Number of Honorary Life Members	1
Number of Life Members	17
Missionary	Miss Ida Hankins
Where located	Seoul, Korea
By Whom supported	Grace Church and Auxiliary
Amount of money remitted for her support	$750 00
And when sent	September, 1911
Number of subscribers to the Missonary Voice	80

Money Forwarded to Conference Treasurer

Dues	$ 207 27
Conference Expense Fund	26 50
Retirement	3 70
Pledge	956 29
Mexico City	11 39
Scarritt	4 20
Total raised	$1209 35

Juvenile	93 17
Grand Total	$1494 18
Whole number of Young People's Societies	3
Whole number Young People's Members	50

MRS. D. W. BULLUCK,
Wilmington, N. C.

NEWBERNE DISTRICT

Number Adult Auxiliaries	15
Number Adult Members	440
Number new members	31
Honorary Life Members	25
Subscribers to Missionary Voice	145
Scholarships	5
Number Bright Jewel Bands	7
Number Members	255
Subscribers to Young Christian Workers	30
Number Young People's Societies	4
Number Members	100
Amount rased by the Young People	$ 124 87
Amount raised by Bright Jewels	169 05
Amount raised by Adult Auxiliaries	1910 79
	$2204 71

MRS. H. J. FAISON,
District Secretary.

RALEIGH DISTRICT

Number of Adult Auxiliaries	20
Number of members	465
Number of Auxiliaries Organized	3
Number of new members	32
Number of Life members	84
Number of Honorary Members	25
Number of Life Patrons	1
Subscribers to Missionary Voice	133
Subscribers to Young Christian Workers	61
Bible Women supported	2
Scholarships	4
Day Schools supported	1
Dues	$ 407 48
Conference Expense Fund	65 95
Retirement	16 15
Scarritt Bible and Training School	17 52
Thank offering for Mexico City	46 75
Bible Women	90 00

Scholarships	160 00
Rio School	15 00
Blanche Fentress Day School	5 00
Day School in China	150 00
Pledge	1566 46
Total	$2540 31
Bright Jewels	383 37
Grand Total	$2923 68
Increase over last year	$ 249 12

MRS. F. B. McKINNE,
District Secretary.

ROCKINGHAM DISTRICT

Number Adult Auxiliaries	27
Number Members	643
New members	149
Life members	10
Honorary Members	28
Number Young People's Auxiliaries	11
Number Members	235
Number new members	102
Subscribers to Missionary Voice	186
Subscribers to Young Christian Worker	78
Scholarships	6
Bible Women	4
Dues	$ 606.71
Conference Expense Fund	85.80
Pledge	2136.56
Scarritt Bible Training School	28.38
Bible Women	240.00
Scholarships	240.00
Mexico City	32.48
Retirement Fund	15.50
Nurse Training School	50.00
Mary Helm School	300.00
Joy Hardie Bible School	250.10
McTyiere School	1000.00
Total	$4,985.53
Bright Jewels	518.44
Grand Total	$5,503.97

MRS. J. F. RAY, District Sec'y,
Laurinburg, N. C.

January 1, 1912, to January 1, 1913.

WARRENTON DISTRICT

Number of Adult Auxiliaries	11
Number of Adult members	268
Number of Young People's	3
Number of Young People members	124
Number of Life members	24
Subscribers to Missionary Voice	98
Dues	$ 278.52
Conference Expense Fund	19.80
Pledge (this does not include Young People)	504.09
Retirement Fund	8.03
Scarritt Bible and Training School	11.45
Mexico	23.25
Total	$ 845.14
Young People's	195.87
Bright Jewels	289.91
Grand Total	$1,330.92

MRS. K. P. BLACK, District Secretary.

WASHINGTON DISTRICT

Number of Adult Auxiliaries	9
Number of Members	267
Number of Life Members	11
Subscribers to Missionary Voice	84
Dues	$ 257.25
Conference Expense Fund	38.20
Annuity	7.00
Mexico	17.00
Scarritt Bible Training School	2.80
Specials	635.94
Total	$ 958.69
Bequest of Mrs. S. H. Gatlin	1500.00
Bright Jewels	186.61
Grand total	$2,645.30

MRS. J. L. HORNE,
District Secretary.

REPORT OF AUXILIARIES, WOMAN'S FOREIGN MISSIONARY SOCIETY

ANNUAL REPORT OF DURHAM DISTRICT

Adult Auxiliaries

	Dues	Pledge	Expense Fund	Scarritt B. and T. School	Annuity	Week of Prayer	Totals
Trinity	$ 48.55	$234.70	$10.60	$....	$ 3.90	$.....	$ 297.75
Memorial	51.70	317.61	4.80	.....	2.10	10.05	386.25
Roxboro	68.85	200.00	5.00	2.00	3.00	.....	278.85
Burlington	21.45	68.20	2.75	.....	.75	.....	93.15
Leasburg	17.20	25.00	2.25	2.00	.60	.....	47.05
Chapel Hill	20.60	24.38	3.25	.....	.55	.....	48.78
Branson	9.40	2.06	.....	.....	.....	.....	11.46
Brooksdale	5.70	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5.70
Total	$243.45	$871.95	$28.65	$4.00	$10.90	$10.05	$1168.99

Young People's Missionary Societies

	Dues	Pledge	Conference Expense Fund	S. B. T. S.	Annuity	Week of Prayer	Totals
Memorial Y. People	$ 18.00	$ 6.45	.20	.....	.....	.....	$ 24.65
School for Korean Widows, Mrs. J. E. Stagg							$ 750.00
Tota							$ 774.65

MRS. T. H. STREET,
District Secretary.

ANNUAL REPORT OF ELIZABETH CITY DISTRICT

	Members	Life Members	Sub. to Voice	Sub., Little Wkr.	Thank Offering	Mite Box	Specials	Dues	C. E. F.	Annuity	S. B. T. S.	Jubilee	Mexico	Pledge	Total
ADULT AUXILIARIES															
First Church	42	13	21	..	$.....	$.....	$....	$ 39.30	$ 8.25	$1.60	$ 2.00	$80.80	$15.00	$163.66	$310.61
Hertford	28	12	14	..	.....	.....	.....	22.60	4.50	.90	2.00	.....	.....	114.75	144.75
Andersons	16	7	8	..	.....	.....	.....	18.45	3.75	.68	2.00	.....	.....	29.60	54.48
Mt. Olivet	22	1	11	2	4.30	.....	.....	20.90	4.10	.90	.....	.....	.....	25.25	55.45
Bethany	35	7	12	..	.....	9.41	.05	38.75	8.50	1.25	2.00	.....	1.60	47.87	109.43
Gatesville	21	3	9	..	.....	.....	.....	21.45	2.75	.60	2.00	.....	5.00	60.00	91.80
Zion	14	..	6	..	.....	.....	.....	12.45	1.25	.....	.....	.....	.....	24.20	37.90
Philadelphia	23	5	8	..	10.39	1.80	.....	27.85	2.20	.95	1.05	.....	.....	22.00	66.22
Parkers	22	5	5	..	1.10	.....	.....	21.75	1.00	.....	2.00	.....	.....	11.25	37.10
Kittrells	24	3	10	..	.....	.....	.....	22.50	2.65	.....	.....	.....	2.00	15.00	42.15
Pontego	13	2	8	..	20.00	.....	.....	13.30	.....	.10	.....	.....	.....	.....	33.40
Total	260	58	112	2	$35.79	$11.21	$ .05	$259.30	$38.95	$6.98	$13.05	$80.80	$23.60	$513.58	$983.29
YOUNG PEOPLE'S SOCIETIES															
Hertford	29	..	2	..	$.....	$.....	$ ...	$ 29.10	$.....	$....	$....	$.....	$.....	$ 56.30	$ 85.40
Kitrells	...	..	...	..	.....	.....	.....	1.40	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1.40
Total	29		2					$ 30.50						$ 56.30	$ 86.80
BRIGHT JEWELS															
Pantego	16	17	...	5	$.....	$.....	$....	$ 8.00	$.....	$....	$.....	$.....	$.....	$ 27.83	$ 35.83
Hertford	54	..	...	21	.....	.....	.....	13.57	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15.15	28.72
Andersons	30	4	...	4	.....	.....	.....	13.56	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	20.00	33.56
Wanchese	58	..	...	20	.....	.....	.....	28.50	4.93	.....	.....	.....	.....	30.90	64.33
Raper	54	..	...	20	.....	.....	.....	9.07	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	9.07
Total	214	21		70				$ 72.79	$ 4.93					$ 93.88	$171.51
JUNIOR DIVISION															
First Church	102	..	...	..	$.....	$ 9.75	$....	$ 5.86	$.....	$....	$.....	$.....	$.....	$.....	$ 15.61
BABY DIVISION															
Elizabeth City	16	1		6	$.....	$ 3.00	$....	$ .50	$.....	$....	$.....	$.....	$.....	$.....	$ 3.50

MRS. J. N. WINSLOW, District Secretary.

ANNUAL REPORT OF FAYETTEVILLE DISTRICT

Adult Auxiliaries

Auxiliary	Dues	Conference	Pledge	Mexico City	Scarritt	B. Woman	Jubilee	Totals
Hay St., Fay..	$ 54.70	$ 8.35	$ 61.80	$ 4.20	$....	$.....	$192.21	$321.26
Siler City	26.25	.....	69.35	.....	1.40	.....	.....	97.00
Carthage	39.95	4.00	22.45	.....	1.80	.....	.....	68.20
Dunn	29.90	6.10	66.50	2.00	2.40	.....	.....	106.90
Pittsboro	13.75	.....	16.35	.....	.....	.....	.....	30.10
Sanford	34.00	.25	35.57	5.20	.....	.....	.....	138.27
Jonesboro	17.40	.25	12.50	.....	.....	120.00	.....	150.15
Cokesbury ...	14.20	1.35	25.00	.65	.....	.....	.....	41.20
Total....	$230.15	$20.30	$309.52	$12.05	$5.60	$120.00	$192.21	$953.08

MRS. JESSIE SIMPSON,
District Secretary.

ANNUAL REPORT OF NEWBERNE DISTRICT

Adult Auxiliaries

	Mexico	Dues	Conference Fund	Retirement	Scarritt Fund	Scholarship	Pledge	Totals
St. John	$....	$ 22.30	$.....	$.....	$....	$.....	$ 68.45	$ 90.75
Kinston	.....	48.00	12.25	2.20	.....	.....	200.00	262.45
St. Paul	.....	76.55	16.55	3.15	2.25	.....	176.76	275.26
Mt. Vernon	.....	11.29	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	11.29
Ocracoke	.....	18.65	.50	.05	2.00	.....	28.25	49.45
Snow Hill	.....	15.45	.....	.50	.....	.....	36.00	52.20
Moreh'd City	.....	39.25	7.75	1.65	2.00	.....	88.74	139.39
Mt. Olive	.....	26.35	5.25	3.05	.....	.....	75.00	109.65
Newberne	7.05	106.80	25.00	4.40	.....	40.00	200.25	383.50
Beaufort	.....	20.95	1.45	.20	.50	.....	71.75	94.85
Faison	.....	13.00	.....	.75	.....	80.00	234.35	332.10
Hookerton	.....	20.30	3.75	.55	2.45	.....	50.45	77.00
Oriental	.....	23.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	25.00	48.00
Total	$7.05	$441.89	$72.50	$16.50	$9.20	$120.00	$1255.00	$1925.89

Young People's Missionary Societies

	Dues	Scholarship	Pledge	Scarritt Fund	Conference Expense Fund	Totals
St. Paul	$20.10	$40.00	$25.00	$....	$ .55	$ 83.85
Mt. Olive	9.40	.....	3.82	.....	.....	13.22
Morehead City	2.10	.....	.....	.....	.....	2.10
Kinston	9.90	.....	13.00	.....	.....	21.90
Total	$41.50	$40.00	$41.82		$ .55	$121.07

Bright Jewels

	Dues	Pledge	Scarritt Fund	Conference Expense Fund	Totals
Hookerton	$ 9.36	$ 4.00	$....	$....	$ 13.36
St. Paul	5.00	.....	.....	.....	5.00
Morehead City	13.45	6.19	.....	.....	19.64
Kinston	16.15	37.25	3.90	4.00	61.40
Centenary	20.45	39.00	.....	.....	59.45
Faison	7.30	3.00	.....	.....	10.30
Total	$71.71	$89.44	$3.90	$4.00	$169.15

Grand Total for Newberne District.....$2204.79

MRS. H. J. FAISON, District Secretary.

ANNUAL REPORT OF RALEIGH DISTRICT

Adult Auxiliaries

	Dues	Conf. Ex. Fund	Retirement Fund	S. B. T. S.	Mexico City	B. Fentress Day School	Rio School	Reaves Day Sh'l	Scholarships	Bible Women	Pledge	Totals
Banks Chapel	$ 20.75	$ 3.70	$ .75	$ 2.00	$ 2.00	$....	$.....	$.....	$ 40.00	$30.00	$ 147.55	$ 246.75
Central	27.50	5.65	.....	.....	2.65	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	50.00	85.80
Cary	21.50	.55	.85	2.00	.....	1.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	45.10	71.00
Edenton Street	52.55	10.75	1.95	2.00	8.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	136.94	212.19
Elizabeth	14.10	1.75	.40	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	27.10	43.35
Four Oaks	9.50	.50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	50.00	60.00
Franklington	30.80	5.00	1.85	2.00	28.50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	340.10	408.25
Louisburg	47.10	9.75	1.95	2.00	5.60	.....	.....	150.00	.....	60.00	230.00	506.40
Oxford	36.60	7.80	1.60	.....	.....	4.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	150.00	200.00
Plank Chapel	18.55	2.25	1.00	2.00	.....	.....	15.00	.....	.....	.....	30.00	68.80
Salem	15.70	.....	.10	2.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	9.00	26.80
Stem	6.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6.00
Benson	4.85	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4.85
Mary Pescud Y. P.	26.50	5.50	2.65	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	40.00	.....	130.00	204.65
Franklington Y. P.	21.03	4.25	.95	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	40.00	.....	67.07	133.30
Franklington Y. P. No. 2	8.50	.50	.50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	40.00	.....	62.87	112.37
Louisburg Y. P.	20.20	3.75	.75	1.52	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	33.78	60.00
Oxford Y. P.	20.70	4.25	.85	2.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	54.70	82.50
Banks Chapel Y. P.	5.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2.25	7.30
Totals	$407.48	$65.95	$16.15	$17.52	$46.75	$5.00	$15.00	$150.00	$160.00	$90.00	$1566.46	$2540.31
Bright Jewels	135.71	1.85	.20	4.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	30.00	211.61	383.37
	$543.19	$67.80	$16.35	$21.52	$46.75	$5.00	$15.00	$150.00	$160.00	120.00	$1778.07	$2923.68

MRS. F. B. McKINNE, District Secretary.

ANNUAL REPORT OF WARRENTON DISTRICT

Adult Auxiliaries

	Members	Life Members	Sub. to Voice	Dues	Conference Expense	Pledge	Retirement Fund	S. B. and T. S.	Mexico	Total
Henderson	42	1	10	$ 38.65	$.....	$ 84.31	$....	$.....	$.....	$ 122.96
Warrenton	33	2	14	37.80	4.80	54.00	1.60	2.00	21.25	121.45
Littleton	38	5	30	44.10	3.25	116.95	1.60	1.45	.....	167.35
Weldon	55	12	19	58.00	1.50	75.00	1.50	2.00	2.00	140.00
Jackson	35	2	5	36.40	3.00	100.00	1.98	2.00	.....	143.38
Woodland	16	..	2	15.50	2.50	20.00	....	.....	.....	38.00
Conway	10	..	2	8.75	.....	1.95	....	.....	.....	10.70
Murfreesboro	17	..	6	19.20	3.25	30.00	.90	2.00	.....	55.35
Coleraine	12	..	6	12.85	1.50	11.35	.45	2.00	.....	28.75
Union	10	..	2	7.27	.....	.....	....	.....	.....	7.27
Special	...	..	..	.....	.....	14.53	....	.....	.....	.....
Total	268	22	96	$ 278.52	$ 19.80	$ 508.09	$ 8.03	$ 11.45	$ 23.25	$ 835.21

Young People's Missionary Societies

	Members	Life Members	Sub. to Y.C.W.	Dues	Retirement Fund	Pledge	Scholarship	Totals
Littleton	34	1	2	$ 27.60	$ .50	$ 86.97	$.....	$ 115.07
Littleton College	79	1	2	19.40	....	20.00	40.00	79.40
Weldon	11	..	..	1.40	....	.....	.....	1.40
Total	124	2	4	$ 48.40	$ .50	$ 106.97	$ 40.00	$ 195.87

Bright Jewels

	Members	Life Mem.	Sub. to Y.C.W.	Dues	Pledge	Conference Expense	Ret. F.	Totals
Henderson	20	1	...	$ 7.04	$ 8.48	.....	.....	$ 15.52
Warrenton	35	1	...	6.50	10.30	.....	.....	16.80
Macon	23	...	10	11.95	4.35	.....	.....	16.30
Littleton	44	3	14	17.75	17.45	75	.....	35.95
Weldon	65	12	9	30.10	35.00	.....	.....	65.10
Garysburg	53	...	6	24.20	30.00	.....	.....	54.20
Jackson	47	...	12	14.55	34.40	50	50	49.95
Murfreesboro	50	...	10	4.07	1.61	.....	.....	5.68
Coleraine	16	...	4	9.25	2.10	.....	.....	11.35
Warren Plains	10	...	...	7.71	5.56	.....	.....	13.27
Roanoke Rapids	10	...	...	1.20	4.59	.....	.....	5.79
Roxobel	16	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total	389	17	65	$ 134.32	$ 153.84	$ 1.25	$ .50	$ 289.91

MRS. K. P. BLACK, District Secretary.

ANNUAL REPORT OF WILMINGTON DISTRICT

Adult Auxiliaries

	Dues	Conference Expense	Pledge	Retirement	Scarritt	Mexico City	Totals
Grace	$ 80.05	$ 14.55	$ 750.00	$ 3.00	$ 2.00	$ 9.84	$ 859.44
Fifth Street	41.86	5.80	100.00	.25	1.60	1.55	151.06
Wallace	26.90	2.50	60.00	.45	.....	.....	89.85
Charity	18.26	.....	12.69	.....	.....	.....	30.95
Whiteville	19.40	2.15	8.60	.....	.60	.....	30.75
Council	7.20	1.50	25.00	.....	.....	.....	33.70
Bolton	4.70	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4.70
Richlands	8.90	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	8.90
*Southport							
Total	$ 207.27	$ 26.50	$ 956.29	$3.70	$4.20	$ 11.39	$ 1209.35

*Report came too late for this year.

Young People's Missionary Societies

	Dues	Pledge	Con. F.	Scarritt	Total
Grace	$ 13.05	$ 40.50	$.....	$.....	$ 53.55
Fifth Street	14.00	75.01	.....	2.00	91.01
Wallace	11.00	36.10	.....	.....	47.10
Total	$ 38.05	$ 151.61		$ 2.00	$ 191.66

Bright Jewels

	Dues	Pledge	Conference Fund	Scarritt	Total
Grace	$ 18.65	$ 10.71	$.....	$.....	$ 29.36
Burgaw	10.19	.....	.....	.....	10.19
Wallace	11.44	22.03	.....	.....	33.47
Whiteville	10.79	.....	.....	.....	10.79
Mt. Tabor	5.80	1.31	.....	.....	7.11
Ingold	1.00	.....	.....	.....	1.00
Magnolia	1.25	.....	.....	.....	1.25
Total	$ 59.12	$ 34.05			$ 93.17

Adult Auxiliaries	$ 1209.35
Young People's Auxiliaries	191.66
Bright Jewel's Auxiliaries	93.17
Grand Total	$ 1494.18

MRS. D. W. BULLOCK, Sec'y and Treas.

ANNUAL REPORT OF WASHINGTON DISTRICT

Adult Auxiliaries

	Dues	Expense	Fentress	Mexico	Scarritt	Retirement	Pledge	Total
Fairfield	$ 28.90	$ 2.25	$....	$.....	$....	$....	$ 18.85	$ 50.00
Washington	43.85	5.50	.....	5.00	.80	1.35	124.48	180.98
Greenville	41.25	8.45	.....	5.00	.....	1.65	91.49	147.83
Tarboro	9.10	1.25	.....	.....	.....	.....	7.00	16.35
Rocky Mount	54.25	10.75	.....	2.00	2.00	2.15	180.10	251.25
Nashville	19.50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	28.00	47.50
Wilson	43.55	10.00	.50	5.00	.....	1.85	170.57	226.48
Mt. Pleasant	6.45	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1.45	7.90
Beamons	12.40	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	18.00	30.40
Total	$259.25	$38.20	$ .50	$17.00	$2.80	$7.00	$639.94	$958.69

Adult	$ 9.58.69
Juvenile	186.61
	$1145.30
Bequest of Mrs. L. H. Gatlin, Tarboro (to Scarritt B. & T.Sc'l)	1500.00
Grand Total	$2645.30

Bright Jewels

	Dues	M.B.Hospital	Total
Washington	$ 3.75	$.....	$ 3.75
Greenville, no report during year	.....	.....	.....
Rocky Mount	33.82	50.00	83.82
Nashville	4.02	.....	4.02
Wilson	17.78	53.01	70.79
Elm City	9.85	14.38	24.23
Total	$69.22	$117.39	$186.61

MRS. J. L. HORNE, District Secretary.

ANNUAL REPORT OF ROCKINGHAM DISTRICT

Adult Auxiliaries

	No. Members	New Members	Life Members	Hon. Members	Subs. to Voice	Metyeire School	Miss. T. S.	Mexico	Dues	Conf. Ex. Fund	Pledge	Helm & Joy Hardie	Bible Women	Scholarships	S. B. T. S.	Annuity	Grand Total
Miss Emma Page	...	..	..	..	...	$.....	$.....	$.....	$.....	$.....	$ 375.00	$.....	$.....	$.....	$.....	$.....	$ 375.00
Mrs. Frank Page	...	..	..	..	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	375.00	.....	.....	40.00	.....	.....	415.00
Aberdeen W. F.	20	..	..	..	6	.....	.....	.....	21.35	5.00	42.77	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	69.12
Biscoe	24	4	4	..	16	.....	.....	1.60	25.80	6.00	76.40	.....	.....	.....	2.00	1.20	113.00
Centenary	17	..	..	..	...	.....	.....	.....	19.35	5.00	27.00	.....	.....	.....	.50	.75	52.60
Fairmont	13	1	..	..	...	.....	.....	4.15	16.60	1.40	14.15	.....	.....	.....	2.00	.....	38.30
Gibson	19	1	..	..	11	.....	.....	.....	21.10	4.50	27.20	150.00	.....	.....	2.00	.90	205.70
Hamlet	26	12	..	..	10	.....	50.00	7.01	21.40	3.75	15.76	.....	.....	.....	2.70	.40	101.02
Laurinburg	47	8	..	..	22	.....	.....	8.21	54.90	10.00	540.00	.....	.....	.....	2.00	1.80	616.91
Lumberton	24	3	..	..	11	.....	.....	.....	19.50	5.00	41.50	.....	.....	.....	2.00	1.50	69.50
Maxton	31	2	..	..	...	.....	.....	1.65	29.25	5.00	58.45	.....	.....	40.00	.....	.....	134.35
Mt. Gilead	24	..	4	4	16	.....	.....	3.20	28.12	.....	66.15	.....	.....	.....	.70	1.05	99.22
Raeford	25	2	..	..	12	.....	.....	.....	31.25	3.55	26.50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	61.30
Red Springs	31	2	1	..	11	.....	.....	.....	38.85	3.00	6.15	.....	60.00	.....	2.00	1.60	111.60
Rockingham	48	8	1	7	18	.....	.....	2.60	55.70	8.05	23.85	250.10	.....	.....	2.00	2.50	344.80
St. Johns	32	2	..	14	12	.....	.....	.....	37.00	7.00	.....	150.00	.....	.....	2.00	1.40	197.40
Troy	14	2	..	..	9	.....	.....	.....	15.75	.....	33.74	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	49.49
Wadeville	13	..	..	..	1	.....	.....	1.00	15.90	1.75	13.55	.....	.....	.....	2.00	.30	34.50
Total	408	47	10	25	155		$50.00	$29.42	$451.82	$69.00	$1763.17	$550.10	$60.00	$80.00	$21.90	$13.40	$3088.81

ROCKINGHAM DISTRICT—Continued

Young People's Missionary Societies

	No. Members	New Members	Hon. Members	Subs. to Voice	Subs. to Y. C. W.	Mexico City	Dues	Conference Expense Fund	Pledge	Bible Women	Scholarships	S. B. T. S.	Annunity	Grand Total
Aberdeen	11	..	..	..	..	$....	$ 1.29	$.....	$ 15.69	$.....	$.....	$....	$....	$ 16.98
Biscoe	16	1	..	..	6	.....	19.30	4.00	43.81	.....	40.00	2.00	.80	109.91
East Laurinburg	17	5	..	..	..	.....	12.80	.....	35.10	.....	.....	.....	.....	47.90
Laurinburg	30	9	..	..	..	.....	32.85	5.05	200.00	.....	40.00	.80	.80	279.50
Lumberton	15	6	2	1	..	.....	10.60	.....	7.00	60.00	.....	1.43	.....	79.03
Maxton	28	...	..	10	..	.....	21.30	2.25	62.49	.....	40.00	2.25	.20	128.49
Mt. Gilead	20	...	..	..	..	.....	19.30	1.25	.....	60.00	.....	.....	.50	81.05
Wadeville	13	...	..	..	..	.....	1.90	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1.90
Rockingham	40	36	..	20	..	2.06	24.90	4.25	.....	60.00	.....	.....	.80	92.01
Red Springs	27	27	1	..	..	.....	5.90	.....	.....	.....	40.00	.....	.....	45.90
Raeford	18	18	..	..	..	.....	4.75	.....	9.30	.....	.....	.....	.....	14.05
Total	235	102	3	31	6	$2.06	$154.89	$16.80	$373.39	$180.00	$160.00	$6.48	$3.10	$896.72

ROCKINGHAM DISTRICT—Continued

Bright Jewels

	No. Members	New Members	Subs. to Y.C.W.	Dues	Pledge	Enroll. Fee	Grand Total
Aberdeen	9	...	..	$ 3.60	$ 5.60	$....	$ 9.20
Biscoe	32	17	5	14.25	52.01	.....	66.26
East Laurinburg	22	10	..	5.33	23.80	.....	29.13
Gibson	25	3	4	13.65	40.11	.....	53.76
Hamlet	71	71	7	12.80	35.00	.....	47.80
Laurinburg	55	12	10	26.60	115.28	.....	141.88
Lumberton	27	4	12	6.81	.45	3.00	10.26
Maxton	47	5	4	11.75	28.20	.....	39.95
Mt. Gilead	47	10	..	20.36	11.05	.....	31.41
Raeford	32	1	..	12.50	.....	.....	12.50
Red Springs	27	2	11	8.87	16.08	.....	24.95
Rockingham	30	...	6	1.55	20.54	.....	22.09
Troy	19	19	3	7.35	3.00	.....	10.35
Maxton Junior League	12	1	..	5.10	3.45	.....	8.55
Zion	45	45	10	5.35	5.00	.....	10.35
Total	500	200	72	$155.87	$359.57	$3.00	$518.44

MRS. J. F. RAY, District Secretary.

TREASURERS REPORT

WOMAN'S FOREIGN MISSIONARY SOCIETY, NORTH CAROLINA CONFERENCE

Dues

Auxiliaries	$ 2537 35
Young People	421 35
Bright Jewels	770 68
Total	$ 3727 38

Pledge

Auxiliaries	$ 7472 85
Young People	1081 71
Bright Jewels	1141 57
Total	$ 9696 13

Specials

Annuity Fund	$ 81 65
Scholarships	680 00
McTyeire School	1000 00
Nurses Training School	50 00
Scarritt Bible and Training School	96 65
Reavis' School	150 00
Korean Widows	500 00
Blanche Fentress School	12 50
Mexico City	167 72
Rio School	207 21
Joy Hardie School	250 10
Bible Women	487 00
Total	$ 17402 25
By checks to Mrs. Ross	$ 15527 25
By receipts from Mrs. Ross to Miss Page	1375 00
By receipts from Mrs. Ross to Mrs. Stagg	500 00
Total	$ 17402 25

Missionary Candidate Fund

Balance forward	$ 109 60
Collection for year	6 80
Total	$ 116 40
Remitted Dr. Quillian	95 00
Balance on hand	$ 21 40

Conference Expense Fund

Balance forward	$ 217 55
Collections for year	441 13
Expense for year	$ 658 68
	358 00
Balance on hand	$ 300 68
Balance in bank	$ 322 08
Balance from the previous year	$ 327 15
Collections for year	17862 18
Grand total	$ 18189 33
Total disbursements	17867 25
Balance in bank	$ 322 08
Banner— Rockingham	$ 5410 22
Grand total this year	$ 18189 33
Grand total last year	15074 44
	$ 3114 89

MRS. B. B. ADAMS,

Treasurer.

Four Oaks, N. C., January 22, 1913.

HOME DEPARTMENT

MESSAGE OF MRS. R. B. JOHN, PRESIDENT OF THE HOME MISSIONARY SOCIETY

Foreign Missions Multiplied Through the Home Mission Field

To the end that our vision may become, perhaps, just a little clearer and our bond of oneness be drawn just a little closer, I have chosen this morning to go over ground already familiar to most of us. In endeavoring to show the correlation of Home and Foreign Missions—how they react the one upon the other, my heart has been heavy with desire that the Holy Spirit may be with us and may enlarge the truth to us.

Our Foreign Missionary Society has had from the first a two-fold work—the education of the women and children of the church on Missions; and the raising of money for the training and support of missionaries for the foreign field, with the maintenance there of schools, hospitals, stations and homes.

The Home Society had its beginning in the recognition of a specific home-land need. As effort was made to meet that need, vision was enlarged and at once obligation was born. I do not have to recount before you how in answer to God's clear call, department after department has been added to the work of the Home Mission Society. The organization grew because it had to grow if the women were faithful to the demands made by needy fellowmen wherever found. So it has come about that the Home Mission Society has undergone in its shorter life more rapid and more radical changes in its plan of work than have been possible in the Foreign Society in the same period. Both societies alike have been but organized expressions of desire to fulfill the Lord's command.

Through our Foreign Society we have sent out our representatives—the women who were to give in our stead the personal ministrations of love to the perishing of other lands. The missionary over yonder does in her heathen land a real Home Mission work for her sister and ours.

At home the women are meeting face to face with conditions in the low centres of our great cities; they are learning at first hand how hard are the places of our mills and our mines; they hunt out the ignorant sections of our mountain fastnesses; and they minister to the strange needs of our immigrant tide.

We send our missionaries to China and Korea, to Mexico, Cuba, and Brazil—and God grant in a short while to benighted Africa also—that they may dispel from thence spiritual night, the unbelief that above all else condemns a people. That same menacing cloud of unbelief broods heavy above our own land. Temples for idol worship we have by the score; men and women there are of trained minds who engage in the shocking rites of heathen worship: long-

robed Hindu priests are here in large numbers and they congratulate themselves on the bright prospect which they believe their faith has of ousting Christianity from christendom. They are happy that the Western frame of mind is "so peculiarly promising for the reception of Indian ideas." The whole priest-craft of India is jubliant because it believes that Christianity is in its death-throes—and that it will be their own mistake if they do not make India the teacher of the West. May the church arouse herself! Jehovah liveth! If there might be inaugurated in America a really great system of Christian missions it would be incalcuable in its effect upon the world. We are a missionary nation, whether we wish to be or not. With the nearly one million souls that come to us every year from all the nations of the earth, is given us an opportunity for world evangelism never approached at any other age or by any other nation.

"North Africa and Syria and other lands to which missionaries are now sent, thirteen centuries ago were starred with Christian churches;" but they failed to make disciples of the hordes who came within their borders—they forgot their missionary character and God removed their candlestick out of its place.

Bear with me if I quote a few of the facts as gathered from sources within the reach of us all, by Rev. Mr. Barnett and given in the Nashville Advocate of January 10 under the title, "America as a Foreign Mission Field."

"Only five of the thirty-eight cities of our country with populations of one hundred thousand and over have a majority of native white Americans. New York, Chicago, and Milwaukee, are practically foreign cities on American soil. There are sixty-six languages spoken in New York City. It is the largest Irish city in the world. [Because of that you will see how largely Catholic it must be.] It is the largest Hebrew city in the world [and our debt to the Jew we have not begun to feel.] It has more Germans than any German city except Berlin. More Italians than any Italian city except Naples and Rome. There are more than three-quarters of a million foreigners in Texas—vast sections of that State have passed into the hands of Germans and Bohemians and are as solidly foreign as the fatherland. In many of the counties the records are kept in foreign languages. We hear without giving much thought to it, of the Cubans and Italians in Florida, of the Chinese and Japanese and Koreans and Hindus on the Pacific coast. Then there are three hundred thousand Indians and over ten millions of negroes. Mr. Barnett well asks, "Is the question, What Shall We Do With These People? Or is it, What Will These People Do with Us?" "Native land and fireside and all that is best in our Christian civilization are involved in this burning question."

"Save America to save the world," might well be taken for the slogan of this twentieth century of Christian effort. Ten foreign-

ers for every convert we have been able to reach in heathendom have come right here into our very midst. If only we might save these who come to us, almost before we know it, the good news would be borne to every farthest corner of the globe.

Not long ago a missionary girl in Japan wrote home the story of how there had been brought back to her own land and given over to the mission home, a Japeneses girl who for seven years had been sold and resold from one dreadful place to another, till finally she was traced to America. The Home Mission of San Francisco were told of her and they got the girl free from her prison life of suffering. The missionary girl wrote: "Oh, you dear Home Mission women, don't you see how you fit in so perfectly and beautifully to this foreign missionary story? And, Oh, we feel like pleading with the Home Mission women to work harder, and give more, and pray more earnestly than ever, for it is our girls you are saving in your homes and missions, and our girls you are sending back as living witnesses of Jesus' love and power. What would have become of this poor girl if it had not been for you?"

Others there are, some among the most valuable teachers and preachers of Japan and Korea who have gone from the Home Mission schools of our Pacific work. It needs no argument, scarcely may the statement be made in your hearing, that these must perforce have much advantage of the foreign teacher.

Surely the heathen at our door has an equal claim upon us with the heathen out yonder. The contribution is oftentimes far easier than the personal service. So have you heard some say, Yes, I could go as a misionary to Africa, but to go among the negroes of our Southern cities? No. It may be that by this very requirement for home service God would test the womanhood of our church. Not go? Yes, a thousand times over, go—but see also how large a number who may not cross the seas, may even go to the heathen while she stays at home.

Again it is true that only by the active maintenance of the church at home can recruits be found for the work in the foreign field.

The Edinburg Conference declared that until the church realizes its missionary obligation to evangelize the **whole world,** and until it enters upon the fulfilment of the same with **all its corporate strength,** it will never attain full power upon earth as the living body of its Lord.

The whole body of the church in America bent toward the supreme task according to God's marvelous call to us—what might we not bring to pass for him in this century.

Before the two great bodies of the women workers of our own church is opened up one task—we have seen what it is. Separation into departments is a mere matter of convenience. Equally to this division and to that shall our strength be given—and so as one body we go forward.

As we enter upon the actual work and many times trying duties and difficult adjustments of the union of these two long time separate organization, may we have the sustaining grace of the vision of a whole world saved to the Lord Christ.

Like a tide our work should rise—
  Each later wave the best;
Today is a king in disguise,
  Today is the special test.

MRS. R. B. JOHN.

REPORT OF CONFERENCE CORRESPONDING SECRETARY OF THE HOME DEPARTMENT FOR 1912

Since our annual Meeting in Weldon more than eight months ago, marked changes have come to our Conference,—and we no longer meet as Home and Foreign Conferences, but as one, "A Missionary Conference."

As I look back over the past year's work I feel that God has wonderfully blessed us during these trying days of readjustment, giving us increased number and a broader vision of the great need of Missions. May we today, as Christians look at our task and see the great need of organized work, "for in union there is strength."

Some of you may feel and think your cherished work will be absorbed in the change which confronts us, and you will become discouraged and perhaps withdraw from active work, but is this the time for withdrawal? Surely consecrated workers are needed as never before.

The continued separate working of the Home and Foreign Conferences has caused a great deal of unrest and confusion, so many auxiliaries not knowing just what to do. I trust that this meeting of unification will mean much toward securing a Oneness in our efforts to save the world for Christ. Now that we have become one body we should take the world as our field, and work with one aim and one purpose. Perhaps then we will find that the real test was not in uniting our Departments, but in making union practicable.

The work demands that we go forward! God has wonderfully opened the doors of every nation, and as if that were not enough He has sent every nation to our own shores in quest of His gospel. Union, remember, does not lessen our obligations neither to the Home or Foreign Field, but our dues and offerings shall make glad the ends of the earth. True, for the present, the Home Department will wisely sustain and strengthen the Institutions established by it, but I feel sure that in the near future the women of the Home and Foreign Departments shall be so close together, and so loyal to God, that the money will go wherever the need is greatest.

I am very glad to report an increase in almost every department of the Home work. The following is my statistical report:

Number of Districts	9
Number of Adult Auxiliaries	90
Number of Adult Members	2400
Number of Young People Auxiliaries	21
Number of Young People Members	492
Number of Junior Divisions	45
Number of Junior Division Members	1087
Total number of Members	4979

Number of Life Members	10
Number of Baby Roll Members added during year	125
Number of Subscribers to the Missionary Voice	562
Number taking Home Mission Reading Course	300
Number using Bulletins, leaflets and Secular Press	62
Number Pledged to Tithing	134
Number of boxes sent off and reported	44
Number of papers and leaflets distributed	2181
Number of Auxiliaries observing Week of Prayer	65
Number of Visits made to sick and strangers	10114
Number of Visits made to Corrective and Benevolent Institutions	381
Number of Cottage Prayer Meetings or Bible Readings	131
Number of garments in good order distributed	1473
Number of Auxiliaries Holding Union Meetings	9
Amount of Money sent Conf. Treas. for Dues	$ 2,652.50
Amount of money sent to Conf. Treas., Specials	2.036.23
Amount of money expended for Local Work	10,763.79
Amount of pledge raised	1,107.28

The amount raise for Conference Pledge is indeed gratifying. This is the first year our Conference has pledged a stipulated amount. And I feel very proud to report the pledge of $1,000 paid in full with more than $100.00 over. Let us put forth still greater effort in the year 1913 to increase our pledge.

A letter signed by Miss Belle Bennett and Mrs. MacDonell has been sent each Auxiliary President, in which they urge "that the first meeting in January shall be a Pledge Meeting, at this time voluntary pledges shall be made by the members and a report of same be forwarded to the Conference Corresponding Secretary." Only one auxiliary (Belle Bennett of Fayetteville) has complied with this request, as yet. If your auxiliary failed to pledge in January have them make February a pledge meeting, and forward amount pledged to your Conference Corresponding Secretary of the Home Department. If this is done, she can intelligently pledge for the Conference at the Council meeting in April.

Last year the Committee on Extension of Work, recommended that a Banner be given to the Auxiliary reaching the Standard of Excellence (See Helps Missionary Society page) and that a second banner be given the auxiliary having the largest per capita offering of the fund sent to Conference Treasurer. I am very sorry not to report an auxiliary having attained the Standard of Excellence. The Rockingham Y. P. has been successful in the contest for largest offering per member raising $5.58. May this be an incentive to greater work in all auxiliaries.

NUMBER OF NEW HOME DEPARTMENTS ORGANIZED DURING THE YEAR

Rockingham District

Zion	Adult	
Laurinburg	Adult	
Roberdel	Young People	
Lewarae	Young People	
Rockingham	Young People	
Raeford	Young People	
Zion	Young People	
Lewarae	Junior Division	
Raeford	Junior Division	
Roberdell	Junior Division	
	—	10

Wilmington District

Jacksonville	Adult	
Richlands	Adult	
Southport	Adult	
Grace Church	Young People	
Ingold	Junior Division	
Rose Hill	Junior Division	
Jacksonville	Junior Division	
	—	7

Warrenton District

Rosemary	Adult	
Jackson	Adult	
Centerville	Adult	
Weldon	Young People	
Calvary	Junior Division	
	—	5

Elizabeth City District

Oak Grove	Adult	
New Hope	Adult	
Hertford	Junior Division	
	—	3

Durham District

Yanceyville	Adult	
Venable	Adult	
Memorial	Junior Division	
	—	3

Washington District

Rocky Mount	Young People	
Spring Hope	Young People	
Spring Hope	Junior Division	
	—	3

Newberne District

Atlantic	Young People	
St. Paul	Young People	
Ocracoke	Junior Division	
	—	3

Raleigh District

Edenton Street	Young People	
	—	1
		35

Adult	12
Young People	12
Junior Division	11
	35

The Children's Department has grown and gone forward under the able and loving leadership of our Conference First Vice-President, Mrs. G. R. Barrow. Eleven Junior Divisions and eight Baby Rolls have been added.

The Young People's Societies have grown from ten to twenty-one, with Miss Lillie Duke as our Second Vice-President. It is a well known fact that young people are easy to enlist if we give them a good leader and something definite to do. It was my pleasure to be with Miss Duke in a District Meeting and I am sure that the Young People of our Conference are on her heart. We feel sure that we made no mistake in also electing her our Field Secretary, for she has done energetic and efficient work.

The Third and Fourth Vice-Presidents are to be congratulated for the advancement in their departments. I am confident that their greatest trouble has been in getting auxiliary officers to report.

Our Conference Press Superintendent has made an earnest effort to have every auxiliary elect a Press Superintendent, and many have done this. We have never failed to receive our Bulletins regularly.

Our Supply Superintendent has given us a very fine report, but her's is the same old story, "failure to report." Despite this fact she reports 38 boxes sent to Orphanage, 2 boxes to needy preachers, 1 to Vashti, 3 not valued with a valuation of $712.00. The total amount of supplies sent off and reported to Mrs. Edgerton, our Treasurer, is $1,037.69. You can readily see that just a little more than half the amount was reported to Mrs. Wilkins.

The weakest point in our year's work has been the failure to hold District Meetings, and in saying this I am not criticizing one of the District Secretaries, for they have done earnest and faithful work. Three very good District Meetings have been held. The sweet fellowship with the Conference officers and especially the

District Secretaries has been a joy and blessing to me. I mention these because I feel that they are mine. We have been so closely associated, and there has been perfect harmony and cooperation, not one failing to respond promptly and gladly to my every request.

My correspondence with auxiliary officers has been very pleasant. There have been many letters of inquiry and I have counted it a pleasure to answer all questions. I am always glad to receive these letters for it shows that interest is being created in missionary work.

I would suggest to the newly elected District Secretaries, that they hold their District Meetings as soon as possible after our Annual Meeting, in order that the entire District might understand the work and begin the year "in the right way."

A most helpful Year Book has been arranged with programmes for missionary societies. One of these has been mailed to every Auxiliary President. If for any reason you failed to receive a copy and desire one I can supply you upon application. I would urge that the Auxiliary President insist upon each member having her own Year Book. They cost but 35 cents per dozen, and the advantage of individual ownership of Year Book are obvious.

The Council asked again for an offering from every Auxiliary of not less than two dollars for S. B. and T. School. Quite a number have responded, but I am grieved to say many have failed to send this amount. If your Auxiliary is one that has failed, won't you see that this amount is sent in at once.

One joint executive meetings was held in Rocky Mount. The planning for this our first Joint Annual Conference was the principal work of the Committee.

The Week of Prayer was observed by almost all Auxiliaries, (65) but the "Home Mission Week" was not made to accomplish what we had anticipated.

In closing this report, which is the last that I shall make as your Conference Corresponding Secretary, it is my earnest hope that the great work of missions may be given a new impetus under the changed condition of things and our Christian fellowship may be made perfect as the year go on and that all of our work may be done in the name and for the sake of Him, Whose we are and Whom we serve.

As we sit here and counsel day by day during the sessions of this Conference, may we be made one in the Spirit of Christ Jesus our Lord.

MRS. J. G. FEARING,
Conference Corresponding Sec'y,
Home Department.

REPORT OF THE FIELD SECRETARY OF HOME DEPARTMENT

As your Field Secretary I count it a great privilege to bring to you this my first report.

I trust that we are coming to realize that this office is a needed channel through which much of our best work may be accomplished. The Secretary belongs to you each and all alike, and in order to make her work a success you must keep her busy. She should mean to the Auxiliaries of the conference just what the pastor of a church means to the home of his congregation. The aim of the Field Secretary is to meet the needs of your Auxiliary whatever they may be. Remember the Conference has her employed and her time is yours for the asking.

My work was necessarily delayed for a few months after my appointment in April, consequently I did not really enter the field until August.

The organized plan was, that the District Secretary of each District should arrange an itenerary for me which should cover her territory. This plan did not materialize in all cases. However, I am glad to report that your Secretaries on the Raleigh, Rockingham and Durham Districts made possible a visit to nearly every Auxiliary within their respective fields.

By the invitation of Presidents and Corresponding Secretaries of local Auxiliaries one visit was made on each of five other Districts. This has left only one District entirely untouched. These visits have given me only a glimpse of what I consider a most splendid field of opportunity and service. The spirit of missions is truly abroad in the land today as never before.

Of the thirty-seven talks made in the intesest of the work nine were public services, ranging in attendance from twenty-five to one hundred and fifty and including men, women and children. Twenty-eight talks were made to Auxiliaries.

I am sure that we get at the needs of the Auxiliaries better by meeting with the Society alone, yet I do believe that the eager, hungry multitudes should be fed and I do recommend that our next Field Secretary be a woman equal to the demands.

Our lack of information has no doubt been the cause of our slow progress in the past, but today there is no excuse for ignorance. We have splendid educational advantages, all the literature we need at our command, including our Missionary Voice and Young Christian Worker. We may know if we will.

Our system of reporting has long been unsatisfactory, but we are believing that under the new order of things this problem will be solved.

I wish I could take you with me on a little visit to each of these

auxiliaries and have you learn as I have done that although in many fields the "laborers are few" they are faithful, earnest, self-sacrificing and loyal. It can truly be said of them: "No one can fail who goes at God's bidding to any task."

Number of towns visited	25
Number of Auxiliaries visited	31
Number of talks made in interest of work	37
Number of District meeting attended	4
Number of public talks made	9
Number of letters and cards written	192

LILLIE DUKE,
Field Secretary.

REPORT OF CONFERENCE FIRST VICE-PRESIDENT, 1912 OF THE WOMAN'S HOME MISSIONARY SOCIETY

"Go ye into all the world and preach the gospel to every creature," and since the utterance of this command given by our ascending Master, the hope and aim of every devout follower has been the evangelization of the world.

Although great progress has been made, we have been slow to find the key to the problem.

"Is not the hope of the ages the Divine Babe, whose coming has revolutionized the world's history?" Before He came, childhood was a period to be endured, now it is a period of preparation; then children were neglected, today they are receiving more care, more education, and more Christian training than ever before.

How strange it is that so many generations have failed to recognize the emphasis our Great Example laid upon the value of childhood.

Some one has said "The Kingdom of God will come on earth, mainly through the gateway of childhood," and we have at last gotten a vision of the evangelized world through the training of children. This is the key to the problem, therefore is placed as first of our four departments of Missionary work.

There must be an organization for the training of children in every church in the North Carolina Conference, before our duty as leaders is done.

District Secretary have you organized a Junior Division with every adult auxiliary? This responsibility is yours; and as soon as a society is organized, report same to your Conference First Vice-President; do not wait for the First Vice-President of the Society to do so.

It is with the children that union is to be made perfect. Let them begin with the unified plan and it is a certainty. We are responsible to the generations that come after us for the condi-

tion we have left the world in, so if we can not evangelize it let us train the children to do so.

As we review the past year's work of the Home Department, we are glad to note advance along all lines. Increase in organizations, membership and offerings tell of awakened interest and persistent effort on the part of conscientious and earnest First Vice-Presidents. My work with these co-workers has been genuinely cheering, though many have failed to report each quarter.

When we remember that among the 90 Adult Auxiliaries, only 51 First Vice-Presidents report any children's Society it seems discouraging, but when we consider the efforts of those who are at work we become hopeful of great results.

The following is the statistical report:

Total number of Baby Rolls	40	
Number added during year	8	
Number enrolled in Baby Division	443	
Number added during the year	125	
Number of meetings held	71	
Amount of enrollment fee		$ 34.68
Amount of money from Mite Boxes		85.30
Amount of money from Memorial Roll		1.05
Amount raised for Home Mission Specials		17.50
Total amount raised by Baby Division		$138.53
Number of Memorial Rolls	1	
Total number of Junior Divisions	45	
Number added during year	12	
Total number members in Junior Division	1087	
Number added during year	275	
Number meetings held	300	
Amount of Membership Offering		$ 62.48
Amount of money from Mite Boxes		162.59
Amount of money from Home Mission Specials		116.03
Total amount raised by Junior Division		$341.10
Grand total		$479.63
Number of Mission Study Classes	15	
Number subscribers to Y. C. W.	83	
Number of Leaflets Distributed	4721	
Number of sample copies Y. C. W.	26	
Number of Mite Boxes Distributed	1102	

Wilmington District leads in new organizations, having an increase of three Baby Divisions, at Ingold, Jacksonville, and Richlands, and three Junior Divisions, Ingold, Jacksonville and Rose Hill.

Rockingham District has three Junior Divisions, Roberdel, Lewarae and Raeford and one Baby Division at Raeford.

Durham District, one Junior Division at Memorial, three Baby Divisions, Memorial, Trinity and West Durham.

Warrenton District one Junior Division at Calvary.

Newberne District one Junior Division at Ocracoke.

Elizabeth City District one Junior Division at Hertford.

Washington District one Junior Division at Spring Hope.

There are quite a number of Junior Divisions which deserve honorable mention. Memorial seems the most progressive in all lines of work. Although it has not raised as much money as some of the others, there is genuine interest manifested in gain of membership and thorough organization, having eight Mission Study Circles.

Weldon is doing splendid work in both Junior and Baby Divisions. Under the leadership of Mrs. Spiers, these children accomplish much in Local and Connectional Work.

Elizabeth City, First Church has raised the largest amount of money.

At the Annual Meeting in Weldon your Committee on Children's Work recommended that a Banner be awarded the Junior Division coming nearest the standard of excellence as laid down by the Council.

I find it impossible to ascertain the number of credits due each society from the reports received as all credits are not reported on the blanks. So we have thought best to award the banner to the society having the greatest increase in membership and in offerings, as stated in my first circular letter of the year. Under this plan, of course, new organizations could not compete.

There are fifty-one First Vice-Presidents who should report each quarter. First quarter I heard from twenty-five, second quarter twenty-six, third quarter twenty-two, fourth quarter eighteen.

Should we neglect to report the children's efforts and thus deprive them of receiving the credits due them? Some have reported to District Secretaries but failed to write me, causing confused statements.

Let us not forget our duty to these children under our care. We must not subordinate the rights and life of the child. Our nation is moving toward a betterment in conditions of child life, showing a higher valuation of the same. The church has not been slow to recognize the importance of early spiritual training; yet it must not only train, but study the child, and give to it leaders of deep consecration and spiritual power. Children demand the best; Sunday schools and day schools realize this fact, and our missionary societies must do so.

The greatest essential to a successful Junior Division is an efficient First Vice-President. She must be first a lover of children,

second a wide awake, enthusiastic person, third, one who is willing to study the work and devote time and energy to it. Let me urge the importance of this office, and ask that much prayerful thought be given the selection of her who is to instill in these young hearts the missionary spirit.

And, women, when after prayerful consideration, you are chosen to do this work, can you afford to shirk duty?

Let me draw your attention to the request of the Master who, when he saw the fainting multitudes as sheep without a shepherd, said to His disciples, "The harvest is truly great but the laborers are few pray ye therefore the Lord of the harvest that He will send forth laborers into His harvest." Have you prayed this prayer? Then rejoice if He counts you worthy to be a laborer in His field.

MRS. G. R. BARROW,
Conf. First Vice-President, Home Dept.

REPORT OF SECOND VICE-PRESIDENT OF HOME DEPARTMENT

During the year I have been more or less in touch with the Young People's Auxiliaries of the Home Department of the North Carolina Conference, although the contact has been of necessity chiefly through correspondence.

I find the Young People eager and anxious for organization. They are enthusiastic, daring, brimful of life and energy and stand ready for any fight that will count for the things that are worth while. On account of the unsettled conditions no especial stress has been laid upon organization during the past year; notwithstanding this fact we have more than doubled the number of our Young People's Auxilaries,—having added twelve new ones.

The one great need in our work with the Young People is a willingness on the part of our women to assume the responsibility of leadership among them. As one young girl who is President of her Auxiliary said: "It does seem a shame that with all the splendid women in our Church not one will take us now when we are so anxious to do something?"

The Rockingham District has the honor of claiming the largest number of young People's Auxiliaries in the Conference, having nine societies to their credit, while the other Districts number from one to three each. One of the most important lessons we have yet to learn, and this applies to young and old alike, is the art of reporting. Everywhere we hear the cry—"No two reports alike." We will be patient and do our best however until the Council gives us a splendid new set of uniform record books. Then we shall be able to do things decently and in order.

I find that the literature is being more generally used than heretofore, and that many of our Young People have subscribed for or have access to the Missionary Voice. This is a sure sign that our interest is growing and that we are getting the world-wide vision.

Number of Districts in Cenference		9
Number of Districts having Young People's Auxiliaries		9
Number of Young People's Auxiliaries (Increase 12)		22
Number of members (Increase 308)		466
Number of Auxiliaries reporting during year (Increase 7)		13
Number of reports received during year (Increase 25)		34
Literature distributed		1637
Number of subscribers to Missionary Voice		36
Amount sent to Conference Treasurer for dues		$51.17
Amount sent to Conference Treasurer for Relief Fund		57
Amount sent to Conference Treasurer for Pledge		24.55
Amount sent to Conference Treasurer for Sue Bennett		55.85
Amount sent to Conference Treasurer for Week of Prayer		10.98
Amount sent to Conference Treasurer for Scarritt B. T. S.		2.00
Amount sent to Conference Treasurer for Lucinda Helm		4.50
Amount sent to Conference Treasurer for Conf. Fund		65
Amount expended for local work	$14.29	
Amount of value of supplies	45.00	

MISS LILLIE DUKE,
Second Vice-President.

REPORT OF THIRD VICE-PRESIDENT OF HOME DEPARTMENT

Number of letters sent to Auxiliaries	275
Number of Conference Report Blanks	300
Number of Leaflets on Tithing, etc	700
Number of Auxiliaries enrolled	89
Number of Auxiliaries that sent in reports	24
Number of Auxiliaries that failed to send reports	65
Number of Tithers reported	134
Number of Members of Auxiliaries	1090
Number of Members of Mission Study Class	300

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. W. B. NORTH,
Conference Third Vice-President.

REPORT OF THE FOURTH VICE-PRESIDENT OF THE HOME DEPARTMENT

The Department of Social Service and Local Work was created by the Missionary Council in 1911, when the Fourth Vice-President of the Council with a committee was set aside to develop this new Department. There was much to do in formulating plans, preparing studies, leaflets, report blanks, etc., and distributing them throughout the Conference Societies by means of Conference and Auxiliary Fourth Vice-Precidents. And it was August before these were distributed among the 59 Conferences. That being a short year, by the change making our fiscal year to correspond with the Calendar year, not a great deal could be accomplished especially as many auxiliaries were working under the old plan, and had not elected 4th Vice-Presidents.

The year 1912 then is practically the first year from which we should expect a full report, and yet from the information I have been able to get from all sources there are still many auxiliaries who have not adopted the new method, and who while they must do some of the God-given work of Social Service and Local work have no medium of communication between the auxiliaries and the Conference Societies thence to the Council.

The work prepared by the Committee and given us has been great. The only pity has been that the studies have not been faithfully taken and the results reported.

These studies have embraced the subjects that are occupying the best thought of the Christian world today.

They tend to the suppression of vice; and have embraced housing conditions, sanitation, child labor, the playground, the juvenile court, etc. Especially for the past year has The Child been the subject of study.

No subject so vital. The child of today is the man of tomorrow, and just as we, safeguard and train the child, or leave him to the perils that surround him, shall we have, a trained, poised, and honorable citizenship or one embracing in itself all the forms of vice which are a menace to highest welfare of home and state.

The Child at School.

The Child at Play.

The Child at Work.

The Delinquent and Dependent Child.

These are the phases of study that we have had and that most of us have neglected. These are subjects that are engaging statesmen and lawmakers everywhere, and shall women the motherhood of the country say, "We do not need to study these questions"?

I beg you, if you have not studied these subjects that you look up the neglected leaflets, read them, try to find answers to those vital questions and get abreast of the times; for we move onward this year to the study of Woman in her various relations.

In foreign fields Social Service has long been a prominent feature. Our missionaries learned that the work could not go forward until means were found to reach the home, the sick, the needy, the orphan, the child-widow, and so women were called to the work, as under Social conditions in Foreign lands men were barred from a large part of the work.

Let us recall the new plan as arranged by the Missionary Council.

"Each Auxiliary is to have a standing Committee on Social Service and Local Work which shall be divided into two sub-committees, one on local work and one on Social Service. The work of the Committee in both branches is to be under the direction of the 4th Vice-President of the auxiliary who shall report to the 4th Vice-President of the Conference Society, who in turn shall report to the 4th Vice-President of the Council.

The duty of the Sub-Committee on local work is to raise and administer funds for the local parsonage subject to the approval of the Auxiliary; to see that strangers are visited and welcomed; to provide cottage prayer meetings, where needed, under the direction of the pastor; and to render him such assistance in his work as may be needed.

The duty of the sub-committee on Social Service is very similar and the two should keep in constant touch. The Social Service Committee shall look after the charity work of the Society, visiting and relieving suffering according to the principles of scientific philanthropy, and at the same time work for the removal of conditions that cause sickness, degredation, and poverty.

It is this last preventive work that can be accomplished only by the majority of the community working together that especially characterizes the work of the Social Service Committee.

For this reason the Social Service Committee needs to co-operate with all other agencies of the town or city working for the betterment of conditions under which men live."

The committee on local work may be composed of members of the other departments of work or of those who feel that they can only do this special work. They may raise the money in whatever way seem best to them, by regular dues of ten cents per month, or more or less, paid into the local treasury and used for local work alone. Thus there is, now, no excuse for the aid society, which was at one time an important factor in the church work. Wherever the aid now exists it should change its name to local department, or rather local committee of the Home Department, put itself under the direction of a 4th Vice-President and make its report monthly to the auxiliary and quarterly to the Conference 4th Vice-President.

In this way it has nothing to lose while it falls into line under the plan of the Council, and has its activities duly accredited to it.

At our last Annual meeting at the district meetings I have at-

tended and wherever I have had opportunity, I have urged the election of 4th Vice-Presidents and a prompt report of the work. Without this link of communication, the 4th Vice-President, it is impossible to have your Conference Society and the Council know what you are doing along these lines.

The reports I have had are very encouraging, save in the matter of the studies.

I know our women are sometimes so burdened with cares that short time is left for any study whatever. Still I trust that the importance of informing ourselves on matters so vital will soon arrest our attention and compel us to give enough time to cull in a quarter, information sufficient to fill out intelligently the blanks sent for our reports.

Let us give free, loving, and whole hearted work, to the Master and leave the results with Him.

Let every auxiliary have a 4th Vice-President, take up the work studies and all, and report to the Conference 4th Vice-President.

Amount expended on Parsonages	$ 554.14
Amount expended on Churches	2664.66
Amount expended in giving Relief	1468.67

Number of Auxiliaries reporting

First quarter	16
Second quarter	11
Third quarter	12
Fourth quarter	14

Thus it will be seen that this report can not show what has been done by the auxiliaries, and there can never be any just and true report until every auxiliary has a fourth Vice-President who will faithfully report the work done by her auxiliary.

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. W. H. SPEIGHT,

Conference 4th Vice-President.

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF PRESS WORK OF HOME DEPARTMENT

Since being elected Press Superintendent of the Woman's Home Missionary Conference in May 1912, I have regularly sent the Bulletins to every Auxiliary that I have been able to get in touch with, and to every Conference officer.

The Bulletins for October were missent, and I did not receive them until afer the November issue had been sent out.

Where the Auxiliaries have no Press Superintendent, I have sent the Bulletins to the Auxiliary President.

Every quarter the report blanks have been sent to each Auxiliary, but I regret to say that very few of them have been filled out and returned. I have written at least once to each Auxiliary, having no Press Superintendent, and have insisted that they elect one at once.

I have also answered twenty-five letters of inquiry from auxiliaries.

All literature and leaflets, bearing on the work that I have received, has been distributed.

I have with the aid of Miss Lillie Duke, Mrs. Fearing, and the district secretaries, compiled a mailing list containing the names of eighty auxiliaries, sixteen being young people's auxiliaries.

I am very sorry to report that only twenty auxiliaries have made the regular quarterly reports. These twenty use the secular press, present missionary news items, gathered from the Bulletins and other sources, and try to give our work as much publicity as possible. They are doing a very good work indeed.

I wish I could report a Press Superintendent in each auxiliary. That has been my aim, but, I have fallen far short. I hope that each delegate present will go back to her auxiliary and see that they elect one at once, and send her name to your new Superintendent of Press work.

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. J. W. BOWLAN,
Press Superintendent.

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SUPPLIES OF HOME DEPARTMENT

For year ending January 1, 1913.

	Value
3 boxes, Memorial, Durham, to orphanage	$ 66.00
1 box, Trinity, Durham, to orphanage	25.00
1 box, Trinity, Durham, to preacher	31.00
1 box, West Durham church, to orphanage	11.00
1 box, Rockingham, to orphanage	25.00
3 boxes, Fairmont, to orphanage	57.75
1 box, Bynum, to orphanage	10.00
1 box, Henderson, to orphanage	12.75
2 boxes, Littleton, to orphanage	35.00
2 boxes, Weldon, sent orphanage	46.25
1 box, Weldon Juniors, to orphanage	9.00
6 boxes, Newberne, to orphanage	98.50
2 boxes Windsor, to orphanage	34.25
1 box, Farmville, to orphanage	14.55
6 boxes, Rocky Mount, to orphanage	110.00

1 box, Goldsboro, to orphanage	20.00
2 boxes, Gatesville, to orphanage	19.70
1 box, La Grange, to orphanage	10.00
1 box, Fremont, to orphanage	15.00
1 box, Spring Hope, to orphanage	15.00
1 box, Manteo, to orphanage	20.10
1 box, Rose Hill, to orphanage	19.00
1 box, Belhaven, to orphanage	17.85
1 box, Winton, to orphanage	5.00
1 box, Grace, Wilmington, to Vashti	28.00
1 box, Grace, Wilmington, to preacher	Value Unknown
Total boxes, 44; total value	$ 755.70

Superintendent of Orphanage reports in Advocate 17 boxes which have not been reported to me. Value unknown.

MRS. IDA T. WILKINS,
Superintendent of Supplies.

REPORT OF DISTRICT SECRETARIES

DURHAM DISTRICT

Number of Adult Auxiliaries (Increase 1)	6
Number of Adult Members (Increase 69)	223
Number of Young People Auxiliaries	1
Number of Young People members (Increase 23)	57
Number of Junior Divisions (Increase 1)	1
Total Number of Brigade members (Increase 100)	100
Total number of members in district (Increase 194)	380
Total number of life members	
Number of members on Baby Roll added during year	24
Number of subscribers to "Missionary Voice"	50
Number taking Home Mission Study Course (Increase 42)	102
Number boxes of supplies sent off and reported to Supt. Supply Dept.	4
Number of papers and leaflets distributed (Decreased 35)	50
Number of Auxiliaries observing Week of Prayer	5
Number of visits made to sick and strangers (In. 1006)	2651
Number of visits made to corrective or benevolent institutions (Increase 2)	12
Number of cottage prayer meetings or Bible-readings held (Increase 37)	41
Number of garments in good order distributed (Dec. 10)	20
Amount of money sent to Conference Treasurer for adult dues (Increase $69.05)	$180.80
Amount of money sent to Conference Treasurer for specials	284.70
Amount of money expended for local work	862.79

Young Peoples' Dues (Increase 3.01)	7.23
Junior Division Dues	13.70
Baby Roll Dues (Increase 4.70)	4.95

MRS. A. M. GATES,
Durham, N. C.

FAYETTEVILLE DISTRICT

Nnmber of Adult Auxiliaries (Decrease 1)	9
Number of Adult members (Increase 18)	232
Number of Brigades	3
Total number of Brigade members (Increase 5)	91
Total number of members in district (Increase 41)	359
Total number of life members	6
Number of members on Baby Roll added during year (Increase 18)	26
Number of subscribers to "Missionary Voice" (Increase 21)	51
Number taking Home Mission Reading Course	1
Number using leaflets, bulletins, and secular press	9
Number pledged to tithing (Increase 6)	10
Number boxes of supplies sent off and reported to Supt. Supply Dept. (Increase 2)	5
Number of papers and leaflets distributed (Decrease 121)	261
Number of Auxiliaries observing Week of Prayer (Increase 1)	4
Number of visits made to sick and strangers (Decrease 137)	366
Number of garments in good order distributed (Decrease 2)	9
Amount of money sent to Conference Treasurer for dues (Increase $132.07)	$204.41
Amount of money sent to Conference Treasurer for Specials (Increase 69.58)	132.25
Amount of money expended for local work (Increase 1018.17)	1165.26

MRS. A. D. MUSE,
Carthage, N. C.

NEWBERNE DISTRICT

Number of Adult Auxiliaries	5
Number of Adult members	234
Number of Young People Auxiliaries (Increase 1)	1
Number of Young People members (Increase 35)	35
Number of Brigades (Increase 1)	4
Total number of Brigade members (Increase 31)	94
Total number of members in district (Increase 34)	363
Number of subscribers to "Our Homes" (Increase 12)	95

Number taking Home Mission Study Course	17
Number boxes of supplies sent off and reported to Supt. Supply Dept.	2
Number of papers and leaflets distributed	171
Number of Auxiliaries observing Week of Prayer (Increase 1)	3
Number of visits made to sick and strangers	347
Number of garments in good order distributed	144
Amount of money sent to Conference Treasurer for dues (Increase $32.54)	$268.74
Amount of money sent to Conference Treasurer for specials (Increase 77.63)	339.58
Amount of money expended for local work (Increase 650.68)	936.97
Total (Increase 760.84)	1545.29

MRS. J. E. UNDERWOOD,
Goldsboro, N. C.

RALEIGH DISTRICT

Number of Adult Auxiliaries	8
Number of Adult members	344
Number of Young People Auxiliaries (Increase 1)	3
Number of Young People members (Increase 45)	73
Number of Junior Division (Increase 1)	3
Total number of members (Increase 51)	105
Total number of members in district (Increase 118)	522
Total number of life members	3
Number of members on Baby Roll added during year	20
Number of subscribers to "Missionary Voice"	104
Number taking Home Mission Reading Course (Increase 42)	42
Number using leaflets, bulletins, and secular press	4
Number pledged to tithing (Increase 2)	45
Number boxes of supplies sent off and reported to Supt., Supply Dept. (Increase 6)	8
Number of papers and leaflets distributed (Increase 704)	3022
Number of Auxiliaries observing Week of Prayer	5
Number of visits made to sick and strangers (Increase 1832)	5389
Number of visits made to corrective or benevolent institutions (Increase 6)	15
Number of cottage prayer meetings or Bible-readings held (Increase 48)	62
Number of garments in good order distributed (Increase 477)	922

Amount of money sent to Conference Treasurer for dues (Increase $84.93)	$377.22
Amount of money sent to Conference Treasurer for Specials	281.50
Amount of money expended for local work	1784.55
Total sent Treasurer	658.72
	1784.55
Grand Total	2443.27

MISS EMMA MATTHEWS,
Kenly, N. C.

ROCKINGHAM DISTRICT

Number of Adult Auxiliaries (Increase 3)	9
Number of Adult members (Increase 38)	193
Number of Young People Auxiliaries (Increase 6)	9
Number of Young People members (Increase 149)	204
Number of Junior Division (Increase 4)	5
Total number of Junior Division members (Increase 102)	142
Total number of members in district (Increase 289)	539
Number of members on Baby Roll added during year	63
Number of subscribers to "Missionary Voice" (Increase 74)	124
Number of boxes of supplies sent off and reported to Supt., Supply Dept. (Increase 4)	10
Number of papers and leaflets distributed	589
Number of Auxiliaries observing Week of Prayer	8
Number of visits made to sick and strangers	210
Number of cottage prayer meetings or Bible-readings held	19
Number of garments in good order distributed	58
Amount of money sent to Conference Treasurer for dues (Increase $59.44)	$278.49
Amount of money sent to Conference Treasurer for Specials (Increase 171.15)	257.30
Amount of money expended for local work (Increase 905.45.)	1090.89
Grand total (Increase 1136.04)	1626.68

MISS GEORGIA BIGGS,
Rockingham, N. C.

ELIZABETH CITY DISTRICT

Number of Adult Auxiliaries	20
Number of Adult members (Increase 63)	520
Number of Young People Auxiliaries	3

Number of Young People members (Increase 12)	72
Number of Brigades Junior Division (Increase 1)	8
Total number of Brigade members (Increase 10)	239
Total number of life members	2
Number of subscribers to "Missionary Voice"	87
Number pledged to tithing	67
Number boxes of supplies sent off and reported to Supt., Supply Dept. (Increase 2)	7
Number of papers and leaflets distributed	437
Number of visits made to sick and strangers	605
Number of garments in good order distributed	184
Amount of money sent to Conference Treasurer for dues (Increase $187.07)	501.55
Amount of money sent to Conference Treasurer for Specials (Increase 73.82)	395.79
Amount of money expended for local work (Increase 118.98)	1610.87

MRS. LEE MORGAN,
Corapeake, N. C.

WARRENTON DISTRICT

Number of Adult Auxiliaries	16
Number of members	263
Number of Young People Auxiliaries	4
Number of Young People members	29
Number of Junior Division	3
Number of Junior Division members	108
Number of Baby members	50
Number of subscribers to Voice	70
Number observing Week of Prayer	8
Number to look after sick	10
Number giving relief	7
Number boxes sent and reported	8
Number Auxiliaries holding Union meeting, only	2
Number leaflets distributed	300
Number Council minutes distributed	25
Number Convention minutes distributed	25
Number programs for week of prayer distributed	50
Number year books distributed	15
Number Helps	30
Adult Auxiliaries dues	$276.47
Baby Roll dues	2.25
Florine McEachern Brigade fund	15.47
Amount raised week of prayer adults	104.63
Baby Mite boxes	27.50
Florine McEachern Mite boxes	32.76
Conference pledge, free will offering	26.00

Specials	37.54
Conference expense fund	17.25
Total cash remitted to Conference Treasurer	$539.68
Value of supplies sent and reported to Supt. of Supply Dept.	131.59
Value of supplies given locally	91.17
Amount expended for assistance of needy	61.76
Amount expended on Parsonages	363.29
Amount expended on Churches	385.95
Amount expended on Auxiliary expense fund	26.96
Specials	61.76
Total reported to Conference Treasurer	$1122.31
Grand Total	$1661.99

Amount Per Capita $2.05 and a fraction.

MRS. W. T. SHAW,
Warrenton, N. C.

WILMINGTON DISTRICT

Number of Auxiliaries	9
Number of Young People	3
Number of Junior	3
New Auxiliaries	3
Number of members	217
Number of visits to sick	430
Number of garments distributed	158
Dues	$225.60
Dues Young People	14.90
Florine McEachern Brigade	22.17
Amount raised during Week of Prayer	46.19
Deaconess Scholarship	40.00
Pledge	76.75
Brevard Scholarship	78.00
City Endowment fund	20.00
Specials	4.55
Conference Expense fund	21.72
Total sent Conference Treasurer	$549.90
Local work	$1003.55
Grand total	$1553.45

MRS. M. L. STOVER,
Wilmington, N. C.

WASHINGTON DISTRICT

Number of Adult Auxiliaries	7
Number of Young People Auxiliaries (both organized 1912)	2
Number of Adult members	159
Number of Young People members	53
Number of subscribers to "Missionary Voice"	15
Number of visits to sick and strangers	347
Number of boxes sent off	9
Dues Adult Auxiliaries	$276.28
Baby Roll Dues	3.50
Florine McEachern Brigade Dues	5.50
Amount raised Week of Prayer	38.00
Baby Mite Boxes	2.14
Florine McEachern mite boxes	11.05
Conference pledge free will offering	122.20
Specials	16.10
Conference Expense Fund	36.97
Total cash remitted to Conference Treasurer	$460.70
Value of supplies sent off and reported to Supt. Dept., Supply	$249.38
Amount expended for assistance of needy	9.50
Amount expended on Parsonage	297.09
Amount expended on Church	489.65
Amount expended on Auxiliary Expense fund	45.23
Specials local	80.52
Total reported and sent to Conference Treasurer	$1171.37
	51.00
	$1227.37

MRS. FRED WOODARD,

TREASURER'S REPORT, 1912
WOMAN'S HOME MISSION SOCIETY

RALEIGH DISTRICT

Edenton Street Auxiliary

Dues	$ 126 70	
Baby Roll Dues	1 25	
Florine McEachern Brigade Dues	11 50	
Amount raised Deaconess Scholarship	2 00	
Baby Mite Boxes	55	
Conference pledge free will offering	28 02	
Specials	3 75	
Conference Expense Fund	15 70	
Total Cash remitted to Conference Treas.	$ 189 47	
Value of supplies given locally		$ 71 50
Amount Expended for Needy		192 19
Amount Expended for Parsonage		25 00
Amount Expended on Church		149 10
Total reported and sent to Conference Treas.		$ 437 79

Smithfield Auxiliary

Dues	$ 63 50	
Baby Roll Dues	1 00	
Amount raised week of prayer, adults	15 25	
Amount raised deaconess scholarship	5 00	
Baby Mite Boxes	21 28	
Conference pledge free will offering	44 65	
Conference Expense Fund	3 57	
Total Cash remitted to Conference Treas.	$ 154 25	
Value of supplies given locally		$ 203 15
Amount expended for needy		212 72
Amount expended on Parsonage		7 85
Amount expended on Church		29 90
Amount expended on Orphanage		15 00
Total reported and sent to Conference Treas.		$ 468 62

Kenly Auxiliary

Dues	$ 28 80	
Baby Roll Dues	75	
Florine McEachern Brigade Dues	10	
Amount raised week of prayer, adults	3 25	

Baby Mite Boxes	3 70	
Florine McEachern Mite Boxes	70	
Total remitted to Conference Treas.	$ 37 30	
Value of supplies given locally		$ 9 25
Amount expended for needy		25 85
Amount expended on Parsonage		45 55
Amount expended on Church		7 95
Total reported and sent to Conference Treas.		$ 88 60

Selma Auxiliary

Dues	$ 31 00	
Baby Roll Dues	2 25	
Amount raised week of prayer, adults	15 55	
Baby Mite Boxes	61	
Florine McEachern Mite boxes	8 60	
Conference pledge free will offering	2 00	
Specials (White Fund)	2 00	
Conference Expense Fund	60	
Total cash remitted to Conference Treas.	$ 62 61	
Value of supplies given locally		$ 41 69
Amount expended on Church		27 35
Total reported and sent to Conference Treas.		$ 69 04

Oxford Auxiliary

Dues	$ 18 20	
Honorary Life Patrons Annuity	45	
Specials	11 10	
Conference Expense Fund	1 90	
Total Cash remitted to Conference Treas.	$ 31 65	
Value of supplies given locally		$ 45 00
Total reported and sent to Conference Treas.		$ 45 00

Louisburg Auxiliary

Dues	$ 44 40	
Amount raised week of prayer, adults	16 07	
Conference pledge free will offering	44 45	
Specials	9 35	
Conference Expense Fund	2 20	
Total Cash remitted to Conference Treas.	$ 116 47	
Value of supplies sent off and reported to Supt., Supply Dept.		$ 115 25

Value of supplies given locally		228 50
Amount expended for needy		27 75
Amount expended on Parsonage		100 00
Amount expended on Auxiliary expense funds		5 10
Amount expended for Orphanage		75 00
Total reported and sent to Conference Treas.		$ 551 60

Clayton Auxiliary

Dues	$ 25 60	
Amount raised Week of Prayer, adults	10 40	
Specials	2 00	
Conference expense fund	2 00	
Total cash remitted to Conference Treas.	$ 40 00	
Value of supplies given locally		$ 10 00
Amount expended for needy		37 95
Specials		25 00
Total reported and sent to Conference Treas.		$ 72 95

Bank Church Auxiliary

Dues	$ 1 90	
Amount raised Week of Prayer, adults	5 00	
	6 90	
Expended on Parsonage		$ 15 00
		$ 15 00

Kenly Young People

Dues	$ 11 50	
Locally supplies given		$ 1 00
Expended for needy		3 50
Total reported and sent to Conference Treas.		$ 4 50

Banks Young People

Dues	$ 6 20

Edenton Street Young People

Dues	$ 2 37

DURHAM DISTRICT

Trinity Auxiliary

Dues	$ 33 30
Baby Roll dues	1 75
Amount raised Week of Prayer	10 00
Baby Mite Boxes	70

Conference pledge free will offering	48 73	
Specials	2 90	
Conference Expense Fund	5 50	
Total cash remitted to Conference Treas.	$ 102 88	
Value of Supplies sent off and reported to Supt. Supply Department		$ 31 00
Value of supplies given locally		8 36
Amount expended for needy		104 90
Amount expended on Parsonage		35 75
Amount expended on Auxiliary Expense Fund		58
Total reported and sent to Conference Treas.		$ 216 59

Trinity Young People

Dues Young Peoples' Auxiliary	$ 55 40	
Amount raised Week of Prayer	9 32	
Conference pledge free will offering	26 70	
Conference Expense Fund	3 68	
Total reported and remitted to Con. Treas.	$ 95 10	
Value supplies given locally		$ 6 00
Amount Expended for needy		13 25
Amount expended on Parsonage		20 80
Amount expended on Auxiliary Expense Funds		7 00
Total reported and sent to Con. Treas.		$ 47 05

West Durham Auxiliary

Dues	$ 23 50	
Baby Roll Dues	75	
Amount raised Week of Prayer	13 05	
Total cash remitted to Conference Treas.	$ 37 30	
Value of supplies given locally		$ 11 00
Amount expended on Parsonage		9 60
Amount expended on Church		44 70
Amount expended on Auxiliary Expense Fund		17 75
Total reported and sent to Con. Treas.		83 05

Memorial Auxiliary

Dues	$ 54 20
Amount raised Week of Prayer	10 04
Conference pledges free will offering	100 00
Specials	1 55
Conference Expense Fund	4 35
Total cash remitted to Conference Treas.	$ 170 14

Value of supplies sent off and reported to Supt. Supply Department		$ 36 89
Value of supplies given locally		32 68
Amount expended for needy		48 10
Amount expended on Parsonage		255 60
Amount expended on Church		8 50
Amount expended on Auxiliary Expense Fund		87 00
Amount expended for City mission work		9 40
Specials		5 00
Total reported and sent to Con. Treas.		$ 483 17

Branson Auxiliary

Dues	$ 7 90	
Conference pledge free will offering	2 00	
Conference Expense Fund	1 00	
Total cash remitted to Conference Treas.	$ 10 90	
Value supplies given locally		$ 17 93
Amount expended for needy		2 00
Amount expended on Church		13 00
		$ 32 93

Memorial Young People

Dues	$ 7 23
Specials	20 62
Conference Expense Fund	60
Total cash remitted to Conference Treas.	$ 28 45

Memorial Junior

Baby Roll Dues	$ 2 45
Florine McEachern Brigade Dues	13 70
Baby Mite Boxes	1 25
Conference pledge free will offering	7 73
Specials	4 48
	$ 29 61

Yanceyville

Dues	$ 6 50
Amount raised Week of Prayer	10 50
Total cash remitted to Conferance Treas.	$ 17 00

WILMINGTON DISTRICT

Grace Street Auxiliary

Dues	$ 125 85	
Amount raised Week of Prayer, adults	43 69	
Amount raised Deconess Scholarship	40 00	
Conference pledge free will offering	72 55	
Specials	4 55	
Conference Expense Fund	21 72	
Total cash remitted to Conference Treas.	$ 308 36	
Special (Elsie Matthews)	78 00	
	$ 386 36	
Value of supplies sent off and reported to Supt. Supply Department		$ 39 75
Value supplies given locally		17 51
Amount expended for needy		54 56
Amount expended on Parsonage		52 50
Amount expended on Church		758 26
Total reported and sent to Con. Treas.		$ 922 58

Johnson's Chapel Auxiliary

Dues	$ 16 15	
Value of supplies given locally		$ 5 40
Amount expended on Parsonage		2 50
		$ 7 90

Grace Street Young Peoples' Auxiliary

Dues	$ 10 92
Florine McEachern Brigade Dues	18 17
Specials	20 00
Total cash remitted to Conference Treas.	$ 49 09

Rose Hill Auxiliary

Dues	$ 28 40	
Dues Young Peoples' Auxiliary	4 00	
Total cash remitted to Conference Treas.	$ 32 40	
Value supplies given locally		$ 6 00
Amount expended for needy		14 35
Amount expended on Parsonage		23 95
Total reported and sent to Con. Treas.		$ 44 10

Clinton Brigade Auxiliary

Florine McEachern Brigade Dues	$ 4 00	

Jacksonville Auxiliary

Dues	$ 26 40	
Conference pledge free will offering	4 20	
Total cash remitted to Conference Treas.	$ 30 60	
Amount expended for needy		$ 1 00
Amount expended on Church		50 00
Specials		10 00
Total reported and sent to Con. Treas.		$ 61 00

Richlands Auxiliary

Dues	$ 24 80	
Amount raised Week of Prayer	2 50	
	$ 27 30	
Value of supplies sent off and reported to Supt. Supply Department		$ 5 00
Amount expended on Church		36 00
Total reported and sent to Conference Treas.		$ 41 00

WARRENTON DISTRICT

Weldon Auxiliary

Dues	$ 67 65	
Baby Roll Dues	3 70	
Florine McEachern Brigade Dues	18 20	
Amount raised Week of Prayer, Adults	29 00	
Baby Mite Boxes	10 25	
Specials	2 00	
	$ 130 70	
Value supplies sent off and reported to Supt. Supply Department		$ 56 50
Value of supplies given locally		55 20
Amount expended for assistance of needy		101 70
Amount expended on Parsonage		36 60
Amount expended on Church		188 55
Amount expended on Auxiliary Expense Fund		25 00
		$ 463 55

Warrenton Auxiliary

Dues	$ 38 70	
Amount raised Week of Prayer, Adults	29 65	
Florine McEachern Mite Boxes	7 37	
Specials	3 65	
Conference Expense Fund	4 95	
Total cash remitted to Conference Treas.	$ 84 32	
Value of supplies sent off and reported to Supt.. Supply Department		$ 25 00
Value of supplies given locally		5 00
Amount expended on Parsonage		92 93
Total reported and sent to Con. Treas.		$ 124 93

Littleton Auxiliary

Dues	$ 18 40	
Amount raised Week of Prayer, Adults	8 10	
Conference pledge free will offering	20 00	
Specials	2 95	
Conference Expense Fund	2 00	
Total remitted to Conference Treasurer	$ 51 45	
Value of supplies sent off and reported to Supt.. Supply Department		$ 25 00
Value of supplies given locally		40 00
Amount expended on Parsonage		12 00
Amount expended on Church		65 00
Amount expended on Auxiliary Expense Fund..		25
Total reported and sent to Con. Treas.		$ 172 25

Battleboro Auxiliary

Dues	$ 14 55	
Baby Mite Boxes	3 36	
Conference Expense Fund	1 50	
Total cash remitted to Conference Treas.	$ 19 41	
Value of supplies given locally		$ 25 00
Amount expended on Parsonage		42 89
Amount expended on Auxiliary Expense Fund..		1 40
Total reported and sent to Conference Treas.		$ 69 29

Henderson Auxiliary

Dues	$ 40 50	
Amount raised Week of Prayer, Adults	5 81	

Conference pledge free will offering	8 00	
Total cash remitted to Conference Treas.	$ 54 31	
Value of supplies sent off and reported to Supt.. Supply Department		$ 12 29
Amount expended for assistance of needy		9 00
Amount expended on Parsonage		158 45
Amount expended on Church		18 10
Total reported and sent to Con. Treas.		$ 195 84

Calvary Auxiliary

Dues	$ 12 80	
Baby Roll Dues	50	
Specials	12 00	
Total cash remitted to Conference Treas.	$ 25 30	
Amount expended on Church		$ 5 00

Windsor Auxiliary

Dues	$ 24 20	
Florine McEachern Brigade Dues	12 35	
Amount raised Week of Prayer, Y.P.	9 20	
Baby Mite Boxes	7 72	
Conference pledge free will offering	8 00	
Specials	2 00	
Conference Expense Funds	1 65	
	$ 65 12	
Value of supplies sent off and reported to Supt.. Supply Department		$ 34
Value of supplies given locally		6 93
Amount expended on Parsonage		65 30
Amount expended on Church		4 75
Specials		20 25
Total cash remitted to Conference Treas.		$ 131 23

Ahoskie Auxiliary

Dues	$ 13 80	
Amount raised Week of Prayer, Adults	5 87	
Baby Mite Boxes	1 45	
Florine McEachern Mite Boxes	5 08	
	$ 25 10	
Amount expended on Parsonage		$ 4 00
Value of supplies given locally		98
		$ 4 98

Winton Auxiliary

Dues	$ 13 70	
Dues Young Peoples' Auxiliary	20	
Baby Roll Dues	50	
Florine McEachern Brlgade Dues	4 68	
Amount raised Week of Prayer, Adults	10 00	
Baby Mite Boxes	3 75	
Conference pledge free will offering	70	
Conference Expense Fund	7 30	
Total cash remitted to Conference Treas.	$ 40 83	
Value of supplies sent off and reported to Supt. Supply Department		$ 4 80
Amount Expended on Church		11 39
Total reported and sent to Con. Treas.		$ 16 19

Howard Chapel Auxiliary

Dues	$ 5 95	
Conference Expense Fund	25	
Total cash remitted to Conference Treasurer	$ 6 20	

Howard Auxiliary

Dues	$ 5 10	
Conference pledge free will offering	75	
Conference Expense Fund	1 10	
Total cash remitted to Conference Treasurer	$ 6 95	
Amount expended on Parsonage		$ 10 00
Amount expended on Church		18 07
Total reported and sent to Conference Treas.		$ 28 07

Williamston Young Peoples' Auxiliary

Dues Young Peoples' Auxiliary	$ 5 00	

Rosemary Auxiliary

Dues	$ 5 87	
Amount raised Week of Prayer	7 00	
Total cash remitted to Conference Treasurer	$ 12 87	

Weldon Young People and Junior Division

Dues Young People Auxiliary	$ 2 15	
Baby Roll Dues	4 60	
Florine McEachern Brigade Dues	3 25	
Total cash remitted to Conference Treasurer	$ 10 00	
Value of supplies given locally		$ 14 22

WILMINGTON DISTRICT

Dues Adult Auxiliaries	$ 225 60	
Dues Young Peoples' Auxiliaries	14 92	
Florine McEachern Brigade Dues	22 17	
Amount raised Week of Prayer, Adults	46 19	
Amount raised Deaconess Scholarship	40 00	
Conference pledge free will offering	76 75	
Preachers Wives' Local Fund	78 00	
City Endowment Fund	20 00	
Specials	4 55	
Conference Expense Fund	21 72	
Total cash remitted to Conference Treasurer	$ 549 90	
Value of supplies sent off and reported to Supt. Supply Department		$ 16 50
Value of supplies given locally		23 51
Amount expended for assistance of the needy		37 73
Amount expended on Church		758 26
Amount expended on Parsonage		157 55
Specials		10 00
		$1003 55

DURHAM DISTRICT

Dues Adult Auxiliaries	$ 125 40	
Dues Young People's Auxiliaries	62 63	
Baby Roll Dues	4 95	
Florine McEachern Brigade Dues	13 70	
Florine McEachern Mite Boxes	1 95	
Amount raised Week of Prayer, Adults	52 91	
Conference pledge free will offering	185 16	
City Missionary Endowment Fund	20 05	
Specials	9 50	
Conference Expense Fund	15 13	
Total cash remitted to Conference Treasurer	$ 491 38	
Value of supplies sent off and reported to Supt. Supply Department		67 89
Value of supplies given locally		43 29
Amount expended for assistance of needy		236 93
Amount expended on Parsonage		321 75
Amount expended on Church		66 20
Amount expended on Auxiliary Expense Fund		112 33
Amount expended for City Mission Work		9 40
Specials		5 00
Total reported and sent to Conference Treas.		$ 862 79

RALEIGH DISTRICT

Dues Adult Auxiliaries	$ 369 92	
Baby Roll Dues	5 25	
Florine McEachern Brigade Dues	2 05	
Amount raised Week of Prayer, Adults	65 52	
Amount raised Deaconess Scholarship	7 00	
Baby Mite Boxes	26 19	
Conference pledge free will offering	125 67	
Florine McEachern Mite Boxes	8 30	
Memorial Loan Fund	2 05	
City Mission Endowment Fund	60	
Specials	19 40	
Conference Expense Fund	26 77	
Total cash remitted to Conference Treasurer	$ 658 72	
Value of supplies sent off and reported to Supt. Supply Department		$ 119 00
Value of supplies given locally		605 09
Amount expended for assistance of needy		592 66
Amount expended on Parsonage		193 40
Amount expended on Church		249 40
Specials		25 00
		$1784 55

NEWBERNE DISTRICT

Dues Adult Auxiliaries	$ 256 69	
Dues Young People's Auxiliaries	12 05	
Florine McEachern Brigade Dues	5 00	
Amount raised Week of Prayer, Adults	18 40	
Baby Mite Boxes	27 08	
Florine McEachern Mite Boxes	9 44	
Conference pledge free will offering	245 40	
Specials	3 95	
Conference Expense Fund	30 31	
Total remitted to Conference Treasurer	$ 608 32	
Value of supplies sent off and reported to Supt. Supply Department		$ 50 15
Value of supplies given locally		339 01
Amount expended for assistance of the needy		80 91
Amount expended on Parsonage		9 50
Amount expended on Church		418 30
Amount expended on Auxiliary Expense Funds		2 10
Specials		39 00
Total reported and sent to Conference Treas.		$ 938 97

WASHINGTON DISTRICT

Dues Adult Auxiliaries	$ 225 24	
Baby Roll Dues	3 50	
Florine McEachern Brigade Dues	5 50	
Amount raised Week of Prayer	38 00	
Baby Mite Boxes	2 14	
Florine McEachern Mite Boxes	11 05	
Conference pledge free will offering	122 20	
Specials	16 10	
Conference Expense Fund	36 97	
Total cash remitted to Conference Treasurer	$ 460 70	
Value of supplies sent off and reported to Supt. Supply Department		$ 249 38
Amount expended for assistance of needy		9 50
Amount expended on Parsonage		297 09
Amount expended on Church		489 65
Amount expended on Auxiliary Expense Funds		45 23
Specials		80 52
Total reported and sent to Conference Treas.		$1171 37

WARRENTON DISTRICT

Dues Adult Auxiliaries	$ 280 72	
Baby Roll Dues	2 25	
Florine McEachern Brigade Fund	15 23	
Amount raised Week of Prayer, Adults	104 63	
Baby Mite Boxes	27 55	
Florine McEachern Mite Boxes	32 76	
Conference pledge free will offering	26 00	
Specials	37 54	
Conference Expense Fund	17 25	
Total cash remitted to Conference Treasurer	$ 543 93	
Value of supplies sent off and reported to Supt. Supply Department		$ 131 59
Value of supplies given locally		91 17
Amount expended for assistance of needy		61 70
Amount expended on Parsonage		363 29
Amount expended on Church		385 95
Amount expended on Auxiliary Expense Funds		26 90
Specials		61 71
		$1122 31

ELIZABETH CITY DISTRICT

Dues Adult Auxiliaries	$ 420 70	
Dues Young People's Auxiliaries	52 85	
Baby Roll Dues	2 00	
Florine McEachern Brigade Dues	26 02	
Amount raised Week of Prayer, Adults	102 60	
Amount raised Week of Prayer, Y. P.	7 32	
Adult Mite Boxes	5 71	
Baby Mite Boxes	15 25	
Florine McEachern Mite Boxes	31 54	
Conference pledge free will offering	185 40	
Specials	23 17	
Conference Expense Fund	24 80	
	$ 897 36	
Value of supplies sent off and reported to Supt. Supply Department		$ 175 55
Value of supplies given locally		714 18
Amount expended for assistance of needy		91 30
Amount expended on Parsonage		502 27
Amount expended on Church		24 36
Amount expended on Auxiliary Expense Funds		3 00
Specials		$ 100 21
		$1610 87

FAYETTEVILLE DISTRICT

Dues	$ 208 39	
Baby Roll Dues	2 06	
Florine McEachern Brigade	5 82	
Amount raised Week of Prayer	25 80	
Baby Mite Boxes	7 23	
Florine McEachern Mite Boxes	4 25	
Conference pledge free will offering	73 20	
Brevard Fund	27 75	
Specials	29 50	
Conference Expense Fund	1 05	
Total remitted to Conference Treasurer	$ 385 05	
Value of supplies given locally		$ 53 90
Amount expended for needy		21 55
Amount expended on Parsonage		141 00
Amount expended on Church		804 60
Amount expended on Auxiliary Expense Funds		15 60
Specials		125 46
Total reported and sent to Conference Treas.		$1162 11

ROCKINGHAM DISTRICT

Dues Adult Auxiliaries	$ 251 49	
Dues Young People's Auxiliaries	19 50	
Baby Roll Dues	1 50	
Florine McEachern Brigade Dues	6 00	
Amount raised Week of Prayer, Adults	95 15	
Amount raised Week of Prayer, Y. P.	10 98	
Amount raised Week of Prayer, Brigade	4 54	
Amount raised Deaconess Scholarship	10 00	
Adult Mite Boxes	7 95	
Baby Mite Boxes	2 23	
Florine McEachern Mite Boxes	12 85	
Conference pledge free will offering	67 50	
Specials	36 15	
Conference Expense Funds	9 95	
Total cash remitted to Conference Treasurer	$ 535 79	
Value of supplies sent off and reported to Supt. Supply Department		$ 211 25
Value of supplies given locally		159 90
Amount expended for needy		27 50
Amount expended on Parsonage		23 00
Amount expended on Church		669 24
Total reported and sent to Conference Treasurer		$1090 89

RECAPITULATION OF DISTRICTS

Dues	$2367 15
Dues Young People	163 35
Baby Roll Dues	21 51
Florine McEachern Brigade Dues	101 49
Amount raised Week of Prayer, Adults	549 20
Amount raised Week of Prayer, Y. P.	18 30
Amount raised Week of Prayer Brigade	4 54
Amount raised Deaconess Scholarship	57 00
Adult Mite Boxes	13 66
Baby Mite Boxes	109 62
Florine McEachern Mite Boxes	110 19
Conference pledge free will offering	1107 28
Memorial Loan Fund	2 05
Special (Elsie Matthews)	78 00
City Mission Endowment Fund	60
Specials	247 66
Conference Expense Fund	183 95
Total cash remitted to Conference Treasurer	$5135 55

Value of supplies sent off and reported to Supt. Supply Department	$1037 69
Value supplies given locally	2030 05
Amount expended for assistance of needy	1159 78
Amount expended on Parsonage	2008 85
Amount expended on Church	3865 96
Amount expended on Auxiliary Expense Fund	205 16
Amount expended for City Mission Work	9 40
Specials	446 90
Total	$10763 79
Total raised for all purposes	$15899 34

RECAPITULATION BY DISTRICTS

Cash to Treasurer

District			Local Work	
	1912	1911	1912	1911
Raleigh	$ 658.72	$ 648.81	$ 1,784.55	$2,011.41
Warrenton	543.93	408.77	1,138.69	1,241.69
Durham	491.38	238.30	862.79	635.13
Fayetteville	388.05	209.25	1,162.11	169.74
Rockingham	537.19	271.34	1,090.89	281.86
Newberne	608.32	503.66	938.97	744.96
Elizabeth City	897.36	753.84	1,610.87	1,962.90
Washington	460.70	275.10	1,171.37	566.59
Wilmington	549.90	426.62	1,003.55	126.05
	$5,135.55	$3,735.69	$10,763.79	$7,740.33

For all Purposes

Districts	1912	1911
Raleigh	$ 2,443.29	$ 2,660.22
Warrenton	1,682.62	1,650.46
Durham	1,354.17	873.43
Fayetteville	1,550.16	378.99
Rockingham	1,628.08	553.20
Newberne	1,547.29	1,248.62
Elizabeth City	2,508.23	2,716.74
Washington	1,632.07	841.69
Wilmington	1,553.45	552.67
	$15,899.34	$11,476.02

Disbursements to Conference Officers

February 12. Mrs. R. O. Burton ..... $ 1 75
February 24. Mrs. G. R. Barrow ..... $ 16 79

April 5. Mrs. G. R. Barrow	5 68	
June 3. Mrs. G. R. Barrow	16 31	
July 11. Mrs. G. R. Barrow	17 35	
November 18. Mrs. G. R. Barrow	5 00	
December 5. Mrs. G. R. Barrow	7 95	
		$ 69 08
March 5. Mrs. J. G. Fearing	$ 55 37	
March 22. Mrs. J. G. Fearing	10 00	
March 25. Mrs. J. G. Fearing	51 50	
June 3. Mrs. J. G. Fearing	10 00	
June 22. Mrs. J. G. Fearing	25 00	
July 19. Mrs. J. G. Fearing	10 00	
August 21. Mrs. J. G. Fearing	10 00	
September 14. Mrs. J. G. Fearing	10 00	
October 5. Mrs. J. G. Fearing	10 00	
November 4. Mrs. J. G. Fearing	25 00	
December 1. Mrs. J. G. Fearing	20 00	
		$ 236 87
March 25. Mrs. R. B. John	$ 17 32	
June 22. Mrs. R. B. John	12 75	
December 18. Mrs. R. B. John	6 00	
		$ 36 07
April 20. Miss Annie Bishop	$ 6 15	
May 17. Miss Annie Bishop	9 60	
		$ 15 75
March 22. Miss Georgia Biggs	4 75	
July 19. Miss Georgia Biggs	15 95	
		$ 20 70
April 26. Miss Emma Matthews	7 00	
April 3. Miss Emma Matthews	5 60	
July 19. Miss Emma Matthews	5 25	
November 12. Miss Emma Matthews	4 00	
January 18. Miss Emma Matthews	3 50	
		$ 25 35
April 20. Mrs. N. E. Edgerton	$ 3 25	
June 3. Mrs. N. E. Edgerton	5 00	
January 18. Mrs. N. E. Edgerton	5 00	
		$ 13 25
May 23. Mrs. B. N. Mann	$ 11 10	
May 18. Mrs. J. E. Underwood	11 00	

May 18. Miss Lillie Duke	$ 33 30	
August 29. Miss Lillie Duke	20 00	
October 26. Miss Lillie Duke	30 00	
November 21. Miss Lillie Duke	30 00	
January 5. Miss Lillie Duke	38 89	
		$ 152 19
May 18. Mrs. J. C. Angier	11 22	
May 18. Mrs. W. H. Speight	8 50	
May 31. Mrs. Lee Morgan	11 10	
May 31. Mrs. A. M. Gates	2 25	
June 22. Mrs. A. D. Muse	19 01	
July 29. Prof. C. H. Trowbridge	18 17	
July 29. Mrs. R. W. McDowell	55 22	
September 30. Mrs. J. W. Bowlin	$ 3 55	
December 16. Mrs. J. W. Bowlin	3 45	
December 16. Mrs. W. B. North	$ 5 35	
		$ 730 93

Summary of Receipts from All Sources

	1912	1911
Total remitted by Auxiliaries	$5,135.55	$3,735.69
Check received from General Treasurer	500.00	300.00
Total receipts	$5,635.55	$4,036.69

Grand Recapitulation of Amounts Raised by Auxiliaries for all Purposes

	1912	1911
Remitted to Conference Treasurer	$ 5,135.55	$ 3,735.69
Expended on local work	10,763.79	7,740.33
	$15,899.34	$11,476.02

Condensed Statement of Receipts and Disbursements for Year 1912

RECEIPTS

Balance from year 1911		$ 153.46
Check received from General Treasurer	$ 500.00	
Rec'd from Aux. (See Recapitulation of Dist's.)	5,135.55	
		$5,635.55
		$5,789.01

DISBURSEMENTS

Check to Gen'l Treasurer	$4,873.60
Checks to Mrs. F. H. E. Ross (for Elsie Matthews)	78.00

Check to Beaty & Lassiter, Printers.....	4.00	
Check to Seeman Printing Co.	105.00	
Check to Wells & Davis, Printers.....	10.00	
Check to W. H. Call, Auditing.....	25.00	
Check to Conference Officers (See Itemized Statement)	730.93	
		$5,826.53
Over Drawn		37.52

The balance to credit of W. H. M. Society, Mrs. N. E. Edgerton, Treasurer, on the books of the Bank of Selma, Jan. 18th, 1913, was Two Thousand Seven Hundred Thirty-nine and 72-100 Dollars (2,739.72).

G. W. EVANS, Cashier.

Bank Balance as above.....$2,739.72

Outstanding Checks

Jan. 5.	Miss Lillie Duke.....	$ 38.89	
Jan. 18.	W. H. Call.....	25.00	
Jan. 18.	Mrs. N. E. Edgerton.....	5.00	
Jan. 18.	Miss Emma Matthews.....	3.50	
Jan. 18.	Mrs. F. H. E. Ross, Gen'l Treas....	2,704.85	
			$2,777.24
Overdrawn			$ 37.52

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. N. E. EDGERTON,
Conference Treasurer.

We have carefully checked the books of the Treasurer and hereby certify that there was a balance from last year of .....$ 153.46
Her receipts were..... 5,635.55

Total $5,789.01
Her Disbursements 5,826.53

Account now overdrawn .....$ 37.52

W. H. CALL,
N. E. EDGERTON,
Auditing Committee.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

REPORT OF COMMITTEE OF EXTENSION OF WORK

1. Whereas, we are fully conscious of the need of consecrated workers to fill the depleting ranks of our societies, and coveting for the Master's use the best talent and consecration the church can furnish, and realizing that this must be furnished from the army of young people; we do urge upon the District Secretaries, Presidents, and First and Second Vice-Presidents of Auxiliaries that they be prayerfully diligent in organizing our young people into missionary societies. These societies are to be both social and missionary in their nature.

2. We recommend that the Forward Movement, as projected by the Council, be continued by this Conference during the year.

3. We recommend that each Society be requested to organize a "Study Circle," reporting same to the Third Vice-President of the Conference.

4. We again recommend that each District Secretary shall pledge an earnest effort to hold an annual meeting in the District, at which time she shall urge the great importance of organizing new auxiliaries, doing all in her power to develop the District;

5. Whereas, There is an urgent call for recruits in the mission fields and an alarming scarcity of missionary volunteers in the ranks of our Church, we recommend the First and Second Vice-Presidents be urged to place especial stress on the need of giving, not only time and money, but giving one's life for definite service.

6. We recommend that the Conference officers and each Auxiliary President make every effort to have the Week of Prayer observed.

7. We continue to recommend the soliciting of honorary members, whose dues shall be $1.00 per year, paid in advance.

8. For the purpose of securing accuracy, we recommend that the Executive Committee of each Auxiliary hold a meeting immediately before sending the quarterly reports.

In order to promote the spirit of union, we recommend that every auxiliary be urged to incorporate both departments wherever practicable.

MRS. F. D. SWINDELL, Chairman.
MRS. J. G. FEARING,
MRS. J. L. HORNE,
MRS. D. W. BULLOCK,
MRS. A. D. MUSE,
MRS. J. E. UNDERWOOD,
MISS JESSIE SIMPSON,
MISS GEORGIA BIGGS,
MRS. J. F. RAY,
MRS. K. P. BLACK,
MRS. A. M. GATES,
MRS. WINSLOW,
MRS. F. B. M'KINNE,
MRS. H. J. FAISON.

REPORT OF COMMITTE ON CHILDREN'S WORK

We, the Committee on Juvenile Work, recommend (1) That the Baby Division and Junior Division of the Woman's Missionary Society of the North Carolina Conference be called "Bright Jewels."

(2) That we pledge $1,000 for the support of Mary Black Hospital, and that we assume a home mission special of $666 2-3, which will be according to the proportion required by the Council for the Home Department.

(3) That the First Vice-President be made treasurer of the children's work.

(4) That the First Vice-President report credit due them on honor roll each quarter.

(5) That the First Vice-President adopt the graded plan of organization as far as possible.

(6) That the First Vice-President endeavor to make each member a subscriber to the "Young Christian Worker" and when necessary that some provision be made by the Adult Society to supply members with copies.

(7) That the First Vice-President call an institute for First Vice-Presidents, and delegates from Juvenile Societies at some convenient time during the summer months.

(8) That steps be taken to prevent the dropping out of children at the time of the change from the Juvenile to the Young People's work.

(9) That the statistical report of the Juvenile Work be inserted in the published minutes of the Woman's Annual Missionary Conference.

Unanimously adopted by the Committee on Juvenile Work.

MRS. N. H. D. WILSON, Ch'm.,
MRS. W. A. STANBURY, Sec'y.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON YOUNG PEOPLE'S WORK

We, the Committee on Young People's Work, wish to submit the following recommendations:

1st. That a very strenuous effort should be made to organize a missionary society in every place.

2nd. That Adult Auxiliaries be very careful in the selection of Second Vice-Presidents, as much depends on this. We cannot have a live, active society unless we have an enthusiastic leader for same.

3rd. By all means organize Mission Study Classes, as this is an important factor in the training of our Young People.

4th. Pray unceasingly for volunteers, knowing and realizing how greatly they are needed.

5th. That our Woman's Auxiliaries do all in their power to aid the Young People, both by precept and example.

To effect this, we suggest an occasional union service between the two organizations.

6th. That the devotional exercises be stressed with great emphasis and each member be urged to take part, as this is a means of growth in spirituality and consecration.

7th. Hold one or more public meetings so that our people may become more interested in the work that is being done by the Young People.

8th. We recommend that at least one social meeting be held each quarter, where there is no other social meeting provided for the Young People.

9th. That each member subscribe for the "Missionary Voice," as this is the most essential guide in carrying on our work, and should be in each home and be read by every member.

10th. That each Y. P. Society be urged to take one or more shares in the pledge of $15,000.00 to go to the building of the school in Rio and chapel at Sue Bennett School.

Respectfully submitted,

MISS LILLIE DUKE, Chairman,
MISS VARA L. HERRING, Sec'y.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON MISSION STUDY AND CHRISTIAN STEWARDSHIP

The Committee on Mission Study and Christian Stewardship beg leave to submit to the Conference the following resolutions:

Resolved, First, That each Auxiliary organize as many Mission Study Classes as they deem desirable.

2nd. That in the selection of a Third Vice-President extreme care be used, as the success of the classes depends largely on the qualifications of their leader.

3rd. That whenever practicable the Mission Study Classes be divided into circles, and that one united meeting be held during the study of the text-book.

4th. That wherever practicable a Circulating Library be used in connection with the Study Classes in order that the broadest information possible be secured. The "Missionary Voice," "Young Christian Worker," and suitable books can be secured from our Educational Department.

5th. That the Young People's and Junior Divisions also organize classes.

6th. That each pastor be asked to preach a sermon on Christian Stewardship once during the year, and each Third Vice-Presi-

dent be urged to do all in her power to advance this cause not only in the Society but in the entire church.

7th. That each Auxiliary present the subject of Christian Stewardship to its members at least once a quarter by leaflet or talk.

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. W. B. NORTH, Chairman,
MISS ANNA D. GRAHAM,
MRS. J. B. HURLEY,
MRS. HOLLAND D. PUGH,
MRS. J. L. LISTER,
MRS. WILLIAM L. KNIGHT,
MRS. H. B. KNOX,
MRS. P. G. ALSTON,
MRS. J. E. UNDERWOOD,
MRS. WINSLOW.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON SOCIAL SERVICE AND LOCAL WORK

The Committee on Social Service and Local Work would present the following resolutions:

1. That every Auxiliary elect a Fourth Vice-President who shall have charge of Local Work and Social Service and shall report quarterly to the Fourth Vice-President of the Conference Society.

2nd. That great care be exercised in the selection of these Fourth Vice-Presidents, for nowhere in the realm of missionary work is greater effort needed.

3rd. That we warmly recommend that all Auxiliaries take up the Social Service studies that they may better know their duties in this department, and be better prepared to perform them.

4th. We earnestly recommend that all Aid Societies change their name to Local Department of the Woman's Missionary Society there by falling into line with the new plan of the Missionary Council.

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. W. H. SPEIGHT, Ch'm,
MISS LAURA DOUB, Sec'y.

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE

Your Committee on Finance recommend the following:

1. That each Auxiliary Treasurer do all in her power to have dues and pledges paid in full and sent in on time each quarter.

2. That each member of every Auxiliary of both Foreign and Home Departments pay 25 cents into the Conference Expense Fund.

3. That the Young People of both departments pay 25 cents combined, the sum to be divided equally into the Conference Expence Fund.

4. That the Bright Jewels in both Foreign and Home Departments pay 10 cents each into the Conference Expense Fund.

5. That every member of each Auxiliary pay 5 cents during the first quarter for the Retirement Fund.

6. That the expense of Conference officers be paid from the Conference Expense Fund.

7. That all bills for printing minutes, and such blanks, postals and circular letters as advance our work be paid from the treasury.

8. That, Whereas, our Corresponding Secretares are members of the Mission Council, we authorize our Treasurer to pay all necessary expenses incurred by attendance upon the Annual Meeting of said Council, and also to supply said Secretaries with sufficient funds to cover all office expenses.

9. That the Treasurer of each local Auxiliary shall send all money and reports to District Secretary of her District, and the money and report of Young People be sent to Second Vice-President of Conference, and Bright Jewels, all money and reports to First Vice-President, by the first day of the month each quarter.

10. That each District Secretary of the Conference, First and Second Vice-Presidents, shall send money and report to Conference Treasurer by the fifth of the month of each quarter.

11. That the pledge of $12,000 for the Foreign Department, for the support of missionaries, including the support of our own four Conference Daughters, be paid in full, also the pledge of not less than $2,000 in the Home Department be paid.

13. That the Scarritt Endowment Fund still receive $200 from each Auxiliary, this making one dollar each from both departments.

MRS. B. B. ADAMS, Chairman,
MRS. R. C. CRAVEN,
MISS SALLIE REESE,
MRS. C. H. FORE,
MISS MARY LEE PARROTT,
MRS. F. H. GREEN,
MRS. F. A. WOODARD.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON DISTRICT SECRETARIES

Your Committee appointed to consider the discussion regarding the number of District Secretaries for the Missionary Society, having carefully and prayerfully gone over the arguments brought forth would recommend:

That we have one District Secretary for each District and that we lighten her work.

1. By relieving her of all press work.

2. By placing the Juvenile and Young People's work in the hands of the First and Second Vice-Presidents, who shall send reports of their work to the District Secretary.

MRS. H. J. FAISON,
MRS. RAY,
MRS. MUSE,
MRS. UNDERWOOD,
MRS. McKINNE,
MRS. GATES.

REPORT OF EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

The second session of the Executive Committee with the District Secretaries met Thursday evening after the services. The Chairman called for the report of the committee of six appointed to consider the discussion regarding the number of district secretaries for the Missionary Society. The report is as follows:

It was moved and carried that the report be adopted.

The matter of Conference Expense Fund was brought before the Committee. It was moved and carried that the Young People pay 25 cents, the Adults 25 cents, for each Department and the Children's dues remain 5 cents per month. It was then moved and seconded that we adjourn.

MRS. JOHN, Ch'm.
MRS. W. A. STANBURY, Secty.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON RESOLUTIONS

We, your Committee on Resolutions, fully realizing that it would be impossible to express in words our appreciation of the hearty greeting, the generous hospitality and genuine love shown in your own charming ways, the number of which has been legion to us, the Women of the Missionary Conference, since reaching the beautiful City of Wilson, wish to extend to you thanks from the very innermost shrines of our hearts:

To the Reception Committee for their warm and cordial greetings at the station; to Rev. M. Bradshaw, who has been ever ready to assist us in every way possible; to Mrs. J. W. Daniels for her most gracious words of welcome and good will.

We would also express our most ardent appreciation to the organist and choir for the beautiful and soul inspiring music given us so freely during the entire meeting; to Mr. Starr for the lovely flowers arranged with the touch of an artist and which have given us the inspiration of beautiful environment each day; to Mrs.

W. A. Finch who tendered her home for the very pleasant reception given Thursday afternoon by the Woman's Missionary Society; for the most delightful luncheon served by its members each day during the "Social Hour."

We would also express our grateful thanks to Miss Page for her sweet and uplifting noonday lessons; to Mrs. J. W. Daniels and others for pleasing and appropriate exercises given by the young people and children of the Sunday School under their direction; to Mrs. Pleasants for the elegantly planned reception given Saturday evening at the home of her mother, Mrs. John Wells; to Bishop Lambeth for his eloquent sermons (long will their memory linger with us), to the Deaconess Miss Regan, and City Missionary, Miss Annie Bass, for their helpful words; and above all to our hostesses for their unselfish and untiring efforts to make our pleasure supreme as they have lavished their genuine hospitality upon us.

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. W. A. STANBURY,
MRS. C. F. HARVEY,
MRS. DAN QUINNERLY,
Committee.

CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS FOR UNITED CONFERENCE SOCIETIES, ADULT AND YOUNG PEOPLE'S ORGANIZATIONS, AND CHILDREN'S WORK.

CONSTITUTION FOR CONFERENCE SOCIETIES

1. In each Annual Conference there shall be organized a Conference Society with Home and Foreign Departments, auxiliary to the Woman's Misionary Council.

2. The object of this society is to plan and direct the Woman's Missionary Work of the Conference.

3. The Conference Society shall consist of one or more delegates from each auxiliary, one or more District Secretaries from each district, a Superintendent of Press Work, and the following officers: A President, four Vice Presidents, two Corresponding Secretaries, one or more Recording Secretaries, one or more Treasurers. These officers shall be elected by ballot at the annual meeting.

BY-LAWS FOR CONFERENCES

1. The Conference officers elected by ballot shall constitute an Executive Committee to transact business in the intervals of the annual sessions. Three shall constitute a quorum.

2. Conference officers shall be nominated by a committe named by the Executive Committee, composed of one or more representatives from each district. This does not debar the parliamentary privilege of nomination from the floor after the committee's report has been presented.

3. The District Secretaries and Conference Superintendents shall be nominated by a committee composed of the President, Corresponding Secretaries, and Treasurers, and shall be elected by acclamation.

4. An alternate from each department shall be elected at each annual session to attend the session of the Woman's Missionary Council.

5. Each Conference Society shall adopt a plan for raising a fund to meet the expenses of the Conference.

6. The Conference Society shall make its appropriations in annual session from the half of the regular membership fund of the Home Department, subject to its direction. These appropriations to be contingent upon the concurrence of the Woman's Misionary Council.

7. The President shall preside at all meetings of the Conference Society and of the Executive Committee, and shall actively advance the interests of the work.

8. The Vice Presidents shall perform the duties of the President in her absence.

9. The First Vice President shall have charge of the children's work, and shall make a quarterly report to the First Vice President of the Woman's Missionary Council and to the Corresponding Secretary of the Conference Society.

The Second Vice President shall have charge of the young people's work, and shall report quarterly to the Second Vice President of the Woman's Misionary Council and to the Corresponding Secretary of the Conference Society.

The Third Vice President shall promote Christian stewardship and mission study, and shall report quarterly to the Third Vice President of the Woman's Misionary Council and to the Corresponding Secretary of the Conference Society.

The Fourth Vice President shall develop the work of social service, and shall report quarterly to the Fourth Vice President of the Woman's Misionary Council and to the Corresponding Secretary of the Conference Society.

10. The Corresponding Secretaries shall conduct the correspondence of the society and supply the auxiliaries with information and with literature. They shall use all practical means for the organization of adult, young people's, and children's auxiliaries in every charge of the Conference, and forward a detailed report of each organization to the Corresponding Secretaries of the Woman's Missionary Council, to whom they shall also send quarterly reports by the 15th day of the first month of each quarter. They shall make to the Conference Society a report of the preceding session of the Woman's Missionary Council and such other reports as that body may desire. They shall sign all drafts on the Treasurer.

11. The Recording Secretary shall give notice of all meetings of the Conference Society and of the Executive Committee, and keep the minutes of the same on record.

12. The Treasurer shall receive all funds of the society, keeping a book account with each auxiliary, and submitting the same annually to an auditor. She shall send itemized reports promptly on the 15th day of the first month of each quarter to the Treasurer of the Woman's Missionary Council, therewith transmitting such funds as are collected for the General Treasury. She shall also send an itemized statement to the Conference Corresponding Secretary.

13. The District Secretaries shall organize auxiliaries, and use every available means to promote the advancement of the Woman's Missionary Societies in their districts. They shall present a report of the work at the District Conference, and shall hold annual meetings in the district (composed of delegates from the auxiliaries), and all-day meetings whenever practicable. If the Conference so direct, the District Secretaries shall conduct the correspondence with auxiliaries, and send a quarterly report to the Conference Corresponding Secretaries, and a copy of the same to the President of the Conference Society. It shall

be their duty to do all in their power to obtain subscribers to the *Missionary Voice* and *Young Christian Workers.*

14. The Conference Society may elect superintendents to coöperate with the Superintendents of the Council. They shall send quarterly reports of their work to the General Superintendent of their department before the 10th of the first month of each quarter and report also to the Conference Corresponding Secretaries.

15. Conference and Auxiliary Society shall not project new work in the mission fields, nor respond to special calls for aid, without approval of the Woman's Missionary Council.

16. The regular dues of the auxiliary societies—adult, young people's and children's—also funds contributed to make life members, honorary members, and life patrons, shall not be devoted to specific work.

17. The thank offering during the Week of Prayer shall be applied to some specific object to be determined each year by the Woman's Missionary Council in annual session.

18. The first meeting of the fiscal year of the auxiliaries shall be a pledge meeting, at which time voluntary pledges shall be made by the members and a report of the same be forwarded to the Conference Corresponding Secretaries.

19. The Conference Society may make such by-laws as the work demands, provided they do not conflict with those made by the Council.

20. During the annual meetings a half hour at noon shall be set aside for devotional services.

ADULT SOCIETIES

Any number of women may become an adult auxiliary to the Woman's Missionary Conference Society by adopting the following Constitution and By-Laws and electing the officers therein provided:

CONSTITUTION FOR AUXILIARIES

1. This society shall be called the Woman's Missionary Society of the....., auxiliary to ..... Conference Society of the Woman's Missionary Council of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South.

2. The object of this society shall be to hasten the coming of the kingdom of God in the United States and non-Christian lands by enlisting the women, young people, and children in a study of the needs of the world and in active missionary service, by raising funds for the evangelization of mission fields at home and abroad, for the maintenance of the institutions under the care of the Woman's Missionary Council, for the betterment of civic and social conditions, and for meeting neighborhood needs.

3. Any one may become a member of this society by giving prayer, service, and ten cents dues per month to either Department, Home or Foreign, or twenty cents dues to both. Opportunities shall be given for

pledges and for freewill offerings, to be directed by the donors to such objects as have been authorized by the Woman's Missionary Council. Each auxiliary may raise the amount necessary for local work.

4. Any one may become a life member of either department of the society by the payment to the general fund of twenty-five dollars for this specific purpose.

5. The officers of the society shall be a President, four Vice-Presients, two Corresponding Secretaries, one or more Recording Secretaries, one or more Treasures, who shall constitute an Executive Committee of the society.

6. The society shall hold at least one monthly meeting for educational and inspirational purposes, and for the transaction of business. Other meetings may be held for Bible study and the varying phases of mission work. At the last meeting of the fiscal year there shall be the annual election of officers. At the following meeting there shall be full reports of the year's work, installation of officers, and consideration of plans for work for the new year.

BY-LAWS FOR AUXILIARIES

1. The President shall preside at all meetings of the society and shall actively advance its interests. At her request or in her absence one of the Vice-Presidents shall assume her duties.

2. The First Vice President shall have charge of the children's work.

The Second Vice President shall have charge of the young people's work.

The Third Vice President shall promote Christian stewardship and mission study.

The Fourth Vice President shall develop the work of social service and local work.

These officers shall coöperate with the Conference officers having the same work in charge, and shall report to them quarterly

3. The Corresponding Secretaries shall conduct the correspondence of the society and send to the District Secretaries full reports by the first day of each quarter. They shall also send annually to the District Secretaries and Conference Corresponding Secretaries the names and addresses of the officers of the auxiliary. They shall send their books to the district meeting for examination.

4. The Recording Secretary shall keep a record of the regular and called meetings, and see that each meeting is properly announced.

5. The Treasurers shall collect all moneys of the society, keep an account of the same, and remit to the Conference Treasurers by the first day of each quarter, giving an itemized statement of the amounts, a duplicate of the same to be furnished the Auxiliary Corresponding Secretary. The books of the Treasurer shall be audited annually.

6. The society shall elect an agent for the *Missionary Voice* and a Superintendent of Press Work.

7. Superintendents of Bureaus shall be elected as needed.

8. The Vice Presidents, Secretaries, Treasurers, Agent, and Superintendents shall make written reports at the monthly business meeting.

YOUNG PEOPLE'S SOCIETIES

CONSTITUTION

1. This society shall be called the Young People's Society of..... ....., auxiliary to ..... Conference Society of the Woman's Missionary Council, Methodist Church, South.

2. The object of this society shall be to hasten the coming of the kingdom of God in the United States and non-Christian lands by enlisting the young people in active missionary service, by raising funds for the evangelization of mission fields at home and abroad, for the maintenance of the institutions under the care of the Woman's Missionary Council, for the betterment of civic and social conditions, and for the relief of neighborhood needs.

3. Any one between the ages of fourteen and twenty-two may become a member of the society by giving regularly prayer, service, and a stated offering monthly or quarterly to missions. Opportunities will be given for pledges for special work, and freewill offerings to be used as directed by donors to such objects as are authorized by the Woman's Missionary Council.

The membership fund shall be divided as follows: Fifty per cent to the Foreign Department, fifty per cent to the Home Department. No other funds are subject to this division.

4. Any one may become a life member of the society by the payment to the general fund of ten dollars for this specific purpose.

5. The officers of the society shall be a President, four Vice Presidents, one or more Corresponding Secretaries, a Recording Secretary, one or more Treasurers, who shall constitute an Executive Committee of the society.

6. The society shall hold at least one monthly meeting for educational and inspirational purposes, and for the transaction of business. Other meetings may be held for Bible study and the varying phases of mission work. At the last meeting of the fiscal year there shall be the annual election of officers. At the following meeting there shall be full reports of the year's work, installation of officers, and consideration of plans for work for the new year.

BY-LAWS

1. The President shall preside at the meetings of the society and in every way advance its interests. In her absence one of the Vice Presidents shall preside.

2. The First Vice President shall assist the First Vice President of the adult auxiliary in superintending the Children's Department.

The Second Vice President shall be agent of the missionary periodicals of the Council and Press Superintendent.

The Third Vice President shall promote Christian stewardship and mission study.

The Fourth Vice President shall develop the work of social service and local work.

3. The Corresponding Secretaries shall conduct the correspondence of the society and make reports to the Vice-President of the Conference by the first day of each quarter and to the District Secretaries, to whom they shall send annually the names and addresses of their officers.

4. The Recording Secretary shall keep a record of the regular and called meetings, and see that each meeting is properly announced.

5. The Treasurer shall collect all funds of the society, keeping a book account of the same, and remit to the Conference Treasurer by the first day of each quarter. She shall send a duplicate report to the Second Vice President of the Conference, and also furnish the Corresponding Secretaries of her auxiliary with a statement of the amounts remitted. The books of the Treasurer shall be audited.

THE CHILDREN'S DEPARTMENT

CONSTITUTION

In this department the children shall be organized for the foreign and home mission work.

The object shall be to give them missionary education, train them for Christian service, and cultivate in them habits of liberal and systematic giving, Bible-reading, and prayer.

This department shall consist of Baby and Junior Divisions under a superintendent who shall also be a Vice President of the Woman's Missionary Auxiliary, whose work shall be correlated with the Conference Vice President in charge of children's work. All membership funds shall be divided equally, the mite box funds divided in the proportion of sixty per cent to the Foreign and forty per cent to the Home Department.

BABY DIVISION

1. Any child five years of age and under may become a member of the Baby Division of the Woman's Missionary Society upon the payment of an enrolment fee of twenty-five cents. Each child of the Baby Division shall be given a certificate and shall be furnished with a mite box for voluntary offerings, to be opened quarterly. Any child may become a life member of the Woman's Missionary Society by the payment of five dollars.

2. Names of children may be placed on the Memorial Roll by an offering to missions and by the use of mite boxes in memory of the child.

3. At least once a year special meetings shall be held for the members of the Baby Division, at which time mite boxes shall be opened and a helpful program be carried out.

4. The First Vice-President of Adult Auxiliaries shall have charge of the Baby Division.

JUNIOR DIVISION

1. Any child between the ages of five and fourteen years may become a member of the Junior Division of the Woman's Missionary Society by giving regularly prayer, service, and a stated offering to missions. Each child of the Junior Division shall be furnished a mite box for voluntary offerings, to be opened quarterly. Any child may become a life member of the Woman's Missionary Society by the payment of five dollars to the general fund for this specific purpose.

2. The officers of the Junior Division shall be a President, four Vice-Presidents, Corresponding Secretary, Recording Secretary, and Treasurer.

3. The Junior Division shall meet at least once a month to follow some line of study for which a program shall be furnished.

BY-LAWS

1. The President shall preside at the meetings of the society and in every way advance its interests. In her absence one of the Vice-Presidents shall preside.

2. The First Vice-President shall help in the work of the Baby Division.

The Second Vice-President shall be agent for the *Young Christian Worker.*

The Third Vice-President shall promote Christian stewardship and mission study.

The Fourth Vice-President shall have charge of the social service and local work of the children.

3. The Corresponding Secretaries shall conduct the correspondence of the society and make quarterly reports to the Vice-President of the Conference and to the District Secretaries, to whom they shall send annually the names and addresses of their officers.

4. The Recording Secretary shall keep a record of the regular and called meetings, and see that each meeting is properly announced.

5. The Treasurer shall collect all funds of the society, keeping a book account of the same, and remit to the Conference Treasurer quarterly. She shall send a duplicate report to the Second Vice-President of the Conference, and also furnish the Corresponding Secretaries of her auxiliary with a statement of the amounts remitted. The books of the Treasurer shall be audited.

Mrs. N. H. D. Wilson,
New Bern, N. C.

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Warrenton District	Mrs. R. H. Willis	Littleton.
Washington District	Mrs. W. T. Baugham	Washington.
Wilmington District	Mrs. W. F. Murphy	Wallace.

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Foreign	Mr. William M. Sanders	Smithfield.
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OFFICIAL MINUTES

DAY SESSIONS

THURSDAY—MORNING SESSION.

The Woman's Missionary Society of the North Carolina Conference met in its second annual business session in Memorial Church, Durham, N. C., January 22, 1914, at 10 o'clock, Mrs. N. H. D. Wilson, Conference first vice president, presiding.

Mrs. R. A. Willis conducted the opening devotional exercises. The Conference was called to silent prayer, and then Hymn No. 317 was sung. Mrs. W. H. Speight was then asked to lead in prayer. Mrs. Willis read the thirteenth chapter of First Corinthians. She made a plea that we might open our hearts and let the Spirit of God have His way with us, and said that if we throw ourselves upon Him, we can leave the results with Him and know our work will be accomplished. Hymn No. 355 was sung.

The delegates were then enrolled and seated by districts. The following were present:

CONFERENCE OFFICERS.

President Emerita, Mrs. R. A. Willis.
First Vice President, Mrs. N. H. D. Wilson.
Second Vice President, Miss Lillie I. Duke.
Third Vice President, Miss Sallie Lou McKinnon.
Fourth Vice President, Mrs. W. H. Speight.
Corresponding Secretary, Home Department, Mrs. R. B. John.
Recording Secretary, Mrs. W. A. Stanbury.
Treasurer, Home Department, Mrs. N. E. Edgerton.
Treasurer, Foreign Department, Mrs. B. B. Adams.
Superintendent of Supplies, Mrs. Ida T. Wilkins.

VISITORS.

Mrs. Lee Britt, Mrs. J. H. Spillman, Miss Lillie Stradley.

DELEGATES.

DURHAM DISTRICT—MRS. B. N. MANN, Secretary, West Durham.

Burlington—Mrs. J. W. Lasley.
Chapel Hill—Mrs. R. L. Strowd.
Durham—Branson, Mrs. M. P. Allen.
Memorial, Miss Lenora Aiken, Mrs. L. P. Howard, Mrs. W. W. Peele.
Trinity, Miss Lila G. Wright, Mrs. T. D. Wright, Mrs. C. B. Green, Mrs. R. C. Craven.
West Durham—Mrs. E. T. Eastwood.
Leasburg—Miss Mattie Pulliam, Miss Bessie Thompson.
Roxboro—Miss Annie Harris, Mrs. T. H. Street, Miss Anna Webb.

ELIZABETH CITY DISTRICT—MRS. J. N. WINSLOW, Secretary, Elizabeth City.

Belhaven—Mrs. W. O. Bullock; Mrs. A. L. Bell, visitor.
Edenton—Miss Hattie Chappell, Mrs. N. M. Spruill.
Elizabeth City—Mrs. G. F. Smith.
Hertford—Mrs. F. M. Shamburger, Miss Lena Barber; *Anderson Auxiliary,* Mrs. J. P. Winslow.
Manteo—Mrs. B. H. Creef; Mrs. W. H. Griffin, visitor.
Sunbury, Philadelphia Auxiliary—Mrs. S. I. Harrell.
Wanchese—Mrs. B. H. Davis; *Bethany Auxiliary,* Mrs. E. R. Daniels.

FAYETTEVILLE DISTRICT—

Bynum—Mrs. J. B. Atwater.
Carthage—Mrs. W. L. Jones.
Dunn—Miss Vara Herring.
Fayetteville—Miss Margaret Isaacs.
Roseboro—Miss Repsie Brewer, Mrs. L. W. Baggett.
Sanford—Miss Hattie Ross.

NEW BERN DISTRICT—MRS. H. J. FAISON, Secretary, Faison.

Faison—Mrs. D. W. Clifton.
Goldsboro—St. John, Mrs. B. C. Thompson, Mrs. J. R. Parker.
St. Paul's, Mrs. T. L. Ginn, Miss Hattie Griffin, Mrs. E. H. Hill, Miss May Spence.
Kinston—Mrs. N. B. Moore, Mrs. R. H. Whitaker.

La Grange—Miss Florence Carraway, Mrs. J. W. P. Smithwick.
New Bern—Mrs. W. B. Blades, Mrs. W. H. Truman.
Trenton—Mrs. D. H. Herritage.

Raleigh District—Mrs. F. B. McKinne, Secretary, Louisburg.

Kenly—Mrs. Z. V. Snipes, Mrs. J. R. Sauls.
Louisburg—Mrs. P. G. Alston, Mrs. E. F. Early, Miss Margaret Hix.
Oxford—Mrs. John Bullock, Mrs. D. K. Taylor, Mrs. E. T. White, Miss Helen White.
Raleigh—Edenton Street, Miss Anne Daly Burton, Miss Annie H. Willson, Miss Kate Hamer.
Central, Miss Ella B. Harris.
Smithfield—Mrs. A. S. Barnes, Miss Mabel Tomlinson, Miss Bettie Lee Sanders.

Rockingham District—

Aberdeen—Mrs. T. B. Creel.
Biscoe—Miss Blanche Monroe, Miss Maude Shamburger.
Fairmont—Miss Bettilu Floyd, Mrs. B. E. Stanfield.
Hamlet—Miss Donna Williams.
Laurinburg—Miss Eugenia Cassidey, Miss Frances Louise Neal, Mrs. Bettie T. Shaw.
Lumberton—Mrs. G. Y. Jones.
Maxton—Miss Frances Carter, Mrs. D. W. Harris, Mrs. R. B. Waddell.
Rockingham—Miss Lizzie Dawkins, Mrs. W. P. Webb.
Wadeville—Mrs. R. M. Bruton.

Warrenton District—

Littleton—Mrs. R. H. Willis.
Murfreesboro—Mrs. J. R. Wynn.
Weldon—Mrs. H. C. Spiers.
Windsor—Mrs. E. S. Dail, Mrs. Pattie C. Morris; Miss Mary Dail, visitor.

Washington District—Mrs. W. P. Baugham, Secretary, Washington.

Fremont—Mrs. J. B. Hooks.
Rocky Mount—Mrs. R. C. Burton, Mrs. I. T. Smith.
Tarboro—Mrs. S. R. Alley.
Wilson—Mrs. M. Bradshaw; Mrs. John R. Raines, visitor.

WILMINGTON DISTRICT—MRS. W. F. MURPHY, Secretary, Wallace.

Richlands—Miss Elizabeth Koonce.
Rose Hill—Mrs. Harvey Boney, Miss Elizabeth Jerome.
Wilmington—Fifth Street, Mrs. L. O. Ellis, Miss Hattie C. Gardner, Mrs. R. A. Montgomery.
Grace Street, Mrs. Edgar Lee Hart, Miss May W. Hall.

A letter from Miss Emma Page, Conference president, who was absent on account of illness, was read by the secretary. It was moved and carried that the secretary send Miss Page a telegram bearing the greetings of the Conference. It was moved and carried, also, that a message be sent Mrs. Sue D. Swindell, corresponding secretary for the Foreign Department, who, on account of illness, was kept away from the Conference.

Mrs. Lee Britt, division manager, was then introduced to the Conference. She expressed her delight at being present and explained something of her work.

Mrs. J. H. Spillman, of Kentucky, was introduced to the Conference.

Reports from the following districts were read: Elizabeth City, Fayetteville, New Bern, and Raleigh.

Hymn No. 348 was sung, after which Mrs. Lee Britt conducted a most instructive roundtable, giving plans and methods as to how the greatest results can be obtained in our missionary work. Hymn No. 410 was then sung.

Mrs. Spillman then conducted the noonday devotionals. She read a scripture lesson from John 2, taking as her subject "Whatsoever He sayeth unto you, do it." From these words she gave the Conference a very beautiful and inspiring talk on obedience. Mrs. Spillman then led in prayer. After the benediction by Rev. R. C. Craven, the Conference adjourned for the noon luncheon.

THURSDAY—AFTERNOON SESSION.

The afternoon session opened at 3 o'clock, with Mrs. N. H. D. Wilson in the chair. Hymn 334 was sung and the prayer was led by Mrs. Wilson.

The secretary called the roll, and the following additional delegates were present:

Mrs. E. C. Duncan, Raleigh.
Mrs. E. M. Snipes, Washington.
Mrs. T. O. Sharp, West Durham.
Mrs. E. C. Hooks, Fremont.
Miss Hattie Ross, Sanford.
Mrs. J. B. Atwater, Bynum.

The minutes of the morning session were read and approved.

The following committees were named:

COMMITTEES APPOINTED.

Nominating Committee—Mrs. R. A. Willis, Mrs. A. L. Bell, Mrs. B. N. Mann, Miss Vara Herring, Mrs. H. J. Faison, Mrs. William Blades, Mrs. Bettie Shaw, Mrs. H. C. Spiers, Mrs. W. F. Murphy, Mrs. W. P. Baugham, Mrs. M. Bradshaw.

Committee on Social Service—Mrs. W. H. Speight, Mrs. S. I. Harrell, Mrs. W. H. Truman, Mrs. R. C. Burton, Mrs. J. R. Parker, Mrs. E. S. Dail, Mrs. E. H. Hall, Mrs. B. E. Stanfield, Mrs. G. Y. Jones, Mrs. C. V. Albright, Miss Eugenia Cassidey, Miss Margaret Isaacs, Miss Maude Shamburger.

Committee on Mission Study—Miss Sallie Lou McKinnon, Mrs. Harvey Boney, Mrs. F. M. Shamburger, Miss Anna Webb, Mrs. R. M. Bruton, Miss Florence Carraway, Mrs. T. B. Creel, Miss Kate Hamer, Mrs. E. M. Snipes, Mrs. A. L. Bell, Miss Ella B. Harris, Mrs. E. W. Hill, and all auxiliary third vice presidents present.

Committee on Extension of Work—Mrs. R. B. John and all the district secretaries.

Committee on Finance—Mrs. B. B. Adams, Mrs. N. E. Edgerton, Mrs. W. C. Webb, Mrs. A. S. Barnes, Mrs. E. R. Daniels, Mrs. N. M. Spruill, Miss Pattie C. Morris, Mrs. W. H. Herritage.

Committee on Platform Courtesies—Mrs. L. P. Howard, Mrs. R. C. Craven, Mrs. J. C. Angier.

Committee on Resolutions—Miss Fannie Louise Neal, Mrs. Edgar Hart, Mrs. S. R. Alley, Mrs. D. K. Taylor, Miss Vera Herring.

Committee on Children's Work—Mrs. N. H. D. Wilson, Mrs. H. C. Spiers, Miss Bessie Thompson, Miss Elizabeth Koonce, Miss Frances Carter, Mrs. L. W. Baggett, Mrs. T. L. Green.

Committee on Young People's Work—Miss Lillie Duke, Mrs. R. H. Willis, Miss Hattie Griffin, Miss Elizabeth Jerome, Mrs. D. W. Harris, Miss Mabel Tomlinson, Miss Bettilu Floyd, Miss Mollie Brown, Miss Lizzie Dawkins, Miss Donna Williams, Miss Mary Spencer, Miss Lena Barber, Mrs. W. D. Clifton, and all auxiliary second vice presidents present.

Reports from the following districts were read: Rockingham and Warrenton.

At the request of Mrs. Duncan, the Conference engaged in special prayer for Miss Mildred Slaughter, who was undergoing a serious operation at Rex Hospital, Raleigh.

Reports from the Washington and Wilmington districts were read.

The Conference was then thrown open to a discussion of methods of conducting a missionary society, collecting dues, and raising pledges. Mrs. Lee Britt led the discussion.

The hours for meeting were fixed at 9:30 in the morning and 8 in the evening.

The benediction was pronounced by Rev. H. M. North, presiding elder of the Durham District.

FRIDAY—MORNING SESSION.

The Conference met at 9:30 a. m. Mrs. Wilson called the session to order and announced Hymn 137. Psalm 127 was read responsively, Mrs. Lee Britt leading.

The roll was called and the following names added:

Miss Annie Kittrell, Kittrell.

Mrs. L. W. Lancaster, Melborne.

Miss Mollie E. Brown, Selma.

Miss Ruth Jones, Benson.

Mrs. W. T. Cheatham, Henderson.
Mrs. J. T. Elmore, Henderson.
Miss Nettie M. Allen, Henderson.
Miss Neva Rowland, Kittrell.
Mrs. L. P. Byrd, Mount Gilead.

The minutes of the previous session were read and approved.

Mrs. Ida T. Wilkins, superintendent of supplies, read her report, and it was adopted.

Mrs. R. A. Willis, president emerita, was then called to the chair, and Mrs. N. H. D. Wilson, Conference first vice president, read her report on Children's Work. The report was adopted. [Officer's report No. 2.]

It was moved and carried that the election of officers be made a special order for 11 o'clock Saturday morning.

The president then asked for very short and concise reports from auxiliary first vice presidents. Quite a number responded, and a very helpful discussion followed.

An invitation from the faculty and students of Trinity College was extended to the Conference to attend a reception at the college Saturday afternoon from 3 to 5 o'clock.

Mrs. Lee Britt conducted a roundtable for the first vice presidents of the auxiliaries which was both interesting and instructive.

Dr. W. P. Few, president of Trinity College, was introduced. He expressed his pleasure at having the Conference meet in Durham. He also urged the members of the Conference to attend the reception at Trinity College Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Rev. W. V. McRae of Maxton was presented to the Conference, also Rev. R. C. Craven of Trinity Church, Durham. Headmaster W. W. Peele, of Trinity Park School, and Rev. J. C. Wooten of Raleigh were introduced.

The president announced Mesdames Truman, Hart, and Whitaker an auditing committee to audit the district secretaries' books.

The president announced that the time for the noon devotionals had arrived. After announcements, Mrs. Spillman came forward and conducted the exercises. Hymn No. 334 was sung and Matt. 16 was read. Mrs. Spillman spoke on "The Test of Discipleship."

The session closed with a prayer by Mrs. Spillman and the benediction by Rev. J. C. Wooten.

FRIDAY—AFTERNOON SESSION.

Conference convened at 3 o'clock and was opened with the singing of Hymn 317. Mrs. S. I. Harrell read the 15th chapter of St. John and Mrs. Spillman led the Conference in prayer.

The minutes of the last session were read, corrected, and approved.

The following new names were added to the roll: Mrs. J. W. Lasley, Burlington, and Mrs. V. C. Royster, Edenton Street Church, Raleigh.

The report of the Durham District was read by Mrs. B. N. Mann. Following her report were several short verbal reports given by representatives of the different auxiliaries of the district.

Mrs. McDuffy, a missionary returned from Africa, was introduced. Also Rev. W. S. Hester was introduced.

The Conference then went into a very informal discussion of the work as a whole, taking it up by districts.

Mrs. Lee Britt made very valuable suggestions regarding the work. Mrs. E. C. Duncan, press superintendent, made her report, after which Conference adjourned with the benediction by Rev. W. S. Hester.

SATURDAY—MORNING SESSION.

Conference was called to order at 9:30. A short devotional exercise was conducted by Mrs. F. B. McKinne. The hymn, "Jesus Calls Us," was followed by a scripture lesson from Psalm 42 and a prayer led by Mrs. Lee Britt.

The minutes of the last session were read and approved.

The secretary read a telegram of greetings and love from Mrs. J. F. Ray, of Laurinburg, district secretary of the Rockingham District, who, on account of illness, was kept away from Conference.

The time having arrived for the roundtable conducted by Mrs. Lee Britt, she took the floor and talked most interestingly, stressing especially social service. As a parting message, she gave us these words: "Study to show thyself approved unto God, a workman that needeth not be ashamed, rightly dividing the word of truth." This being Mrs. Britt's

last appearance before the Conference, Mrs. Wilson arose to express appreciation of her presence and work, and the Conference gave her a rising vote of thanks for her beautiful talks, her service, and the inspiration she brought.

Miss Stradley, returned missionary from Brazil, was introduced to the Conference.

Delegates from the following districts, Wilmington, Fayetteville, and Warrenton, were called upon to tell in a few words something of the work done in their auxiliaries.

It was moved that a resolution be sent Mrs. Sue D. Swindell as an expression of appreciation of her twenty years of faithful service in the work of the Missionary Society of the Conference. The motion was carried. [Resolution No. 1.]

Time for electing officers having arrived, Mrs. Spillman came forward and emphasized the responsibility of selecting officers and set forth the advantages of working together in union. The nominating committee made their report, and their nominations were as follows: For president, Mrs. R. B. John; for first vice president, Mrs. N. H. D. Wilson; for second vice president, Miss Lillie I. Duke; for third vice president, Mrs. J. H. Boney; for fourth vice president, Mrs. W. H. Speight; for corresponding secretary for the Foreign Department, Mrs. F. B. McKinne; for corresponding secretary for the Home Department, Miss Sallie Lou McKinnon; for recording secretary, Mrs. W. A. Stanbury; for treasurer for the Foreign Department, Mrs. B. B. Adams; for treasurer for the Home Department, Mrs. N. E. Edgerton. There being no nominations from the floor, the secretary was instructed to cast the ballot for the nominees of the committee, and they were declared elected.

Mrs. R. B. John read the following report of the executive committee nominating the district secretaries. They were elected by acclamation as follows: Durham, Mrs. B. N. Mann; Elizabeth City, Mrs. J. N. Winslow; Fayetteville, Miss Vara Herring; New Bern, Mrs. H. J. Faison; Raleigh, Miss Nettie Allen; Rockingham, Mrs. Frank Page; Warrenton, Mrs. R. H. Willis; Washington, Mrs. W. P. Baugham; Wilmington, Mrs. W. F. Murphy.

Mrs. Spillman came to the platform and conducted the noonday devotionals, using Hymn No. 350, after which she led in prayer. A scripture lesson from Isaiah 40 was read. She talked from the words, "Wait on the Lord."

With a prayer by Mrs. Spillman and the benediction by Rev. J. A. Dailey, Conference adjourned.

SATURDAY—AFTERNOON SESSION.

Conference was opened by singing "Jesus Shall Reign Where'er the Sun." Mrs. Faison conducted the devotional service. She read I Corinthians 13 and led the Conference in prayer.

The minutes of the morning session were read, corrected, and approved.

Rev. L. P. Howard read a memoir of Mrs. M. C. Klein of Morehead City auxiliary, and spoke of her beautiful life. It was moved and carried that the memoir be inserted in the Conference Journal. [Memoir No. 1.]

It was moved and carried, also, that Mrs. R. A. Willis be asked to write a memoir of Miss Blanche Fentress, and that it be printed in the Conference Journal. [Memoir No. 2.]

The president asked that the names of those of our Conference who had died during the year be handed in to the secretary, and that they be put on the memorial roll in the minutes. [Memoir No. 3.]

It was then announced that the Conference was ready for invitations for next year's meeting. Rocky Mount was selected.

The report of the finance committee was read by Mrs. Edgerton. It was moved and carried that item No. 2 be amended by making the expense fund 50 cents per member instead of 25 cents. The report was then adopted as a whole. [Report No. 1.]

Mrs. Boney read the report of the committee on Young People's Work. It was adopted. [Report No. 2.]

The report of the Children's Work was read by Mrs. S. I. Harrell. After some discussion, it was adopted. [Report No. 3.]

The report of the committee on Mission Study was read by Mrs. Alston. It was adopted. [Report No. 4.]

The report of the committee on District Secretaries' Books was read and adopted. [Report No. 5.]

The report of the committee on Extension of Work was read by Mrs. Faison. It was adopted. [Report No. 6.]

The report of the committee on Publicity was read by Mrs. E. C. Duncan. It was adopted. [Report No. 7.]

The report of the Young People's Work was read by Miss Lillie I. Duke, second vice president. At this point quite a

number of young people from the different auxiliaries of the Conference were called upon to give short reports of the work they were doing. The report was adopted. [Officer's report No. 3.]

Mrs. E. C. Duncan moved that one-half of the dues for the Home Department, after expenses are paid, be applied to Brevard School, provided the Woman's Missionary Council gives its consent. The motion was carried.

The committee on Social Service submitted its report. The report was adopted. [Report No. 8.]

The Conference adjourned to attend the reception tendered by the faculty and students of Trinity College.

MONDAY—FINAL SESSION.

Conference convened at 9:30, and devotional service was conducted by Mrs. Ida T. Wilkins. Hymn No. 482, "Jesus, Saviour, Pilot Me," was sung, after which Psalm 27 was read. Mrs. Wilkins then led in prayer.

The secretary read the minutes of Saturday afternoon and evening, and Sunday morning, afternoon and evening sessions. They were corrected and approved.

Mrs. Bradshaw moved that Mrs. Swindell be made agent for the Blanche Fentress School, and that all money for this purpose be sent to her. The motion was adopted.

It was moved and carried that our new president be sent as alternate for the Home Department to the council meeting, and that her expenses be paid.

It was moved and carried that Mrs. Duncan be made alternate to the council meeting from the Foreign Department.

The report of committee on resolutions was read by Miss Fannie Louise Neal and adopted by a rising vote. [Resolution No. 2.]

Mrs. E. C. Duncan was elected editor of the missionary page in the Raleigh Christian Advocate.

Mrs. John urged that the ladies give Mrs. Duncan their support in helping her make the page of more interest and help to the Conference.

Mrs. Faison moved that the Conference express to Mrs. Mann its thanks and appreciation of her work in writing up the accounts of former meetings.

Miss Lillie Duke, on behalf of Memorial Church, expressed the pleasure of the church in having entertained this session of the Conference.

Mrs. Duncan was given a rising vote of thanks for her work. The minutes were read and approved.

The Conference adjourned with prayer by Mrs. R. A. Willis.

EVENING SERVICES

WEDNESDAY.

The preparatory service for the second annual session of the Woman's Missionary Society of the North Carolina Conference met in Memorial Church, Durham, N. C., Wednesday evening, January 21, 1914, at 8 o'clock. The exercises were opened with an anthem by the choir, "O Be Joyful Unto the Lord." Hymn No. 415 was sung.

Rev. L. P. Howard read a scripture lesson from the fortieth Psalm. He then led in prayer, closing with the Lord's Prayer.

Mrs. A. M. Gates in very beautiful and fitting words welcomed the Conference. Mr. Howard also expressed his pleasure at having the Conference meet at Memorial Church, and spoke beautifully of woman's work in the church.

Miss Sallie Lou McKinnon expressed appreciation of the hearty welcome extended to the Conference.

An anthem, "Come Unto Me," was sung.

Mrs. H. J. Faison spoke for a few minutes from the words, "And the Jews sought him and said, Where is he?" This was followed by a series of short prayers by members of the Conference. The congregation was then dismissed with the benediction by Mr. Howard.

THURSDAY.

The evening service was opened with the anthem, "Bless the Lord, O My Soul," sung by the choir. Mrs. John announced Hymn 654, and after singing this hymn the congregation was led in prayer by Rev. W. W. Peele. The 121st Psalm was read and a short prayer offered by Mrs. John.

The following reports were read and adopted: From the treasurer of the Foreign Department, Mrs. B. B. Adams [officer's report No. 6.]; from the treasurer of the Home Department, Mrs. N. E. Edgerton [officer's report No. 7]; from the fourth vice president, Mrs. W. H. Speight [officer's

report No. 5]; from the second vice president, Miss Lillie Duke [officer's report No. 3]; from the third vice president, Miss Sallie Lou McKinnon [officer's report No. 4].

After announcements, the benediction was pronounced by Rev. H. M. North.

FRIDAY.

The services opened with Mrs. W. H. Speight in the chair. "Day is Dying in the West" was rendered by the choir, after which the thirty-third Psalm was read responsively. The council hymn, "Lead On, O King Eternal," was enthusiastically sung by the congregation; then Mrs. Spillman led in prayer, and the choir sang the Lord's Prayer as a response.

Owing to the absence of Mrs. Sue D. Swindell, the report of the corresponding secretary of the Foreign Department was read by Mrs. B. B. Adams and was adopted by the Conference. [Officer's report No. 8.]

Mrs. R. B. John read the report of the corresponding secretary of the Home Department, which was adopted. [Officer's report No. 9.]

Miss Lillie I. Duke, field secretary of the Conference, read the report of the year's work, and it was adopted. [Officer's report No. 10.]

Mrs. Lee Britt gave in a few minutes a most vivid picture of the work of both departments, making us feel that if all knew the need and the opportunity, more would respond with their prayers, their service, and their means.

Announcements for Saturday were followed by the doxology, and the congregation was dismissed with the benediction by Rev. H. M. North.

SATURDAY.

Devotional exercises were conducted by Mrs. R. B. John. Hymn 649 was sung and Mrs. John read a few verses from Psalm 137, after which she led the Conference in prayer.

Miss Lillie Stradley, returned missionary from Brazil, was presented to the Conference. She made a most interesting address on the customs and resources of Brazil. She spoke especially of its educational progress, and of the work done

by Dr. Lane in the Presbyterian school, and of Miss Mattie Watts, founder of the Methodist school. She spoke in the very highest terms of the work done in the only boys' school in Brazil, the gift of Mr. B. N. Duke. She made an appeal to the North Carolina Conference to erect a school at Rio and name it the North Carolina School.

After announcements, the congregation was dismissed with a prayer led by Mrs. Faison.

SUNDAY SERVICES

MORNING.

Sunday morning, with its cloudless sky and its bracing atmosphere, saw the auditorium of Memorial Church crowded with an expectant throng. Every seat was occupied, chairs were placed in the aisles and near the chancel, the gallery was filled, and even then some were compelled to stand during the entire service. Special music was rendered by a large chorus choir formed by the union of the choirs of Trinity Church and Memorial Church. After the singing of an anthem by the choir, Bishop James H. McCoy announced Hymn No. 78, which was followed by the Apostles' Creed and a prayer. Psalm 46 was read responsively, after which Hymn 654 was sung. As a second lesson, Bishop McCoy read Revelations 14, taking as his text the 21st verse. His sermon dealt with the general theme of the relationship of the individual to the world. The figure that John drew, said he, represents the Church Triumphant, or in its perfect state. He said God is working out this perfect state through men; that we only have to look back through history to see this being brought to pass. His sermon was one of great power and inspiration.

At the close of the sermon Dr. F. N. Parker led in prayer, and after singing Hymn 655 the congregation was dismissed with the benediction.

AFTERNOON.

Sunday afternoon's service proved to be one of the most interesting of the whole Conference, for that was the children's hour, and more than a hundred children gathered to hear what Miss Stradley had to tell them of the children in Brazil. They also heard what Mrs. N. H. D. Wilson had to say of the work of the children of the North Carolina Conference, in whom she is so much interested. Some little interest was created when three little girls, dressed in the cos-

tumes of Brazilian, Korean, and Chinese children, entered the church and sang in the Armenian language, "Come to Jesus."

The following banners were presented by Mrs. Wilson: Biscoe Bright Jewels, for the greatest amount per member, received a Chinese banner.

Memorial Church, Durham, won the Korean banner for greatest amount of money raised.

Epworth, Raleigh, for adding most members during the year, received a Chinese banner.

Biscoe Young People won the Cuban banner, which is given by the Littleton College girls for the greatest amount raised per capita.

The children's service was then closed with a prayer by Mrs. Spillman.

Immediately following the children's service was the service for the young people, conducted by Mrs. Spillman. She spoke with the clearness and earnestness and enthusiasm that are characteristic of her. Not one person in the house went away who did not feel that she had been benefited by Mrs. Spillman's inspiring and beautiful address. She closed with prayer, and the benediction was pronounced by Rev. J. A. Daily.

EVENING.

Sunday night's service was a most fitting climax to the Woman's Missionary Conference. The exercises were begun by an anthem by the choir. Mrs. John announced Hymn 415 and Mr. Howard led in prayer.

Mrs. Spillman announced that the subject of her talk for the evening was "Christ's Outline for Our Tasks." It would be impossible to give an adequate report of her address. She pleaded that we might catch an enlarged vision of God's work in the church, in Southern Methodism, and in heathen lands; that we might know what Christ meant by the story of the Good Samaritan; and that we might unlerstand what Jesus meant when He said "I came to set at liberty those whose lives were bruised." At the close of her address she made a most beautiful plea for new consecration. As she took her seat the choir sang softly, "Hear the Voice of Jesus Calling, 'Who Will Go and Work To-day?' "

Bishop McCoy was asked to lead in prayer and to pray especially that God would put His hand on some of our choicest boys and girls and send them as missionaries.

Following the address, the newly elected officers were installed, the charge being delivered by Mrs. Spillman. The congregation, having sung the doxology, was dismissed with the benediction.

MEMOIRS

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[No. 1.]

Mrs. M. C. KLEIN

It is with deepest sorrow that we have lost from our midst our sister and coworker, Mrs. M. C. Klein, who typified all that was best in Christian work. Mrs. Klein's life approached the ideal. She was brave, honest, courteous, and modest. None knew her but to love her.

She was one of whom it can be written, "without fear and without reproach." In her death the Society, the church, and the community have lost a most loyal member, whose place is hard to fill.

Morehead City Auxiliary, W. M. S.

[No. 2.]

MISS BLANCHE FENTRESS

As classmate, as friend for half a century, as coworker in the beloved cause of Foreign Missions, it has become my pleasant privilege to drop one more flower on the sacred dust of our friend and colaborer, Miss Blanche Fentress.

From early womanhood, her chief joy was in a life of service. To gratify the desires of her spiritual nature, avenues of usefulness were opened up to her, in her home, in the Sunday-school, in the neglected districts, and in every activity that looked to the upbuilding of society. True to the interest of her own church, she was ever ready to help in a good cause in other denominations. As one has recently said, "she was guileless." This one word characterized her whole life. Like Nathanael, she was entitled to this beautiful distinction, to be one "in whom was no

guile." The influence of her Christian character reached out and touched the lives of all with whom she came in contact. Her eyes seemed closed to the evil in the lives of others, and she saw only the good, thereby so enlarging her vision that she saw only the beautiful.

Her daily walk was the fruit of her constant prayer, "Purge me with hyssop and I shall be clean; wash me, and I shall be whiter than snow." Indeed, her power was in prayer, and none more fully realized its influences than those most nearly related to her in the work of missions. This work, born of prayer, and struggling through prayer, rested heavily upon her heart, and just how much this great organization that now wields such an influence in our Methodism in North Carolina owes to God, in answer to Miss Fentress's prayers, none can tell.

Being selected recording secretary at the organization of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the North Carolina Conference, she entered upon her duties as one fitted for the task. Just how faithfully she performed these duties, the record shows. For thirty-three years, without missing a single session, she was at her post of duty.

Then on the eve of her departure to attend the Conference which convened at Littleton, the Father laid his hand upon her and said, "Rest a while." With the same submissive spirit that characterized her through life, she bore her sufferings and awaited her Lord's coming.

When He called her hence, she no doubt heard that welcome plaudit, "Well done, good and faithful servant; enter thou into the joy of thy Lord."

ELLEN E. WILLIS.

ELIZABETH CITY, N. C.

[No. 3.]

IN MEMORIAM

Mrs. W. E. SERGEANT
Mrs. W. F. LONG
Roxboro

Mrs. ANIVA DIXON
Leasburg

Mrs. E. S. SANDERS
Smithfield

Mrs. MARGARET J. ODOM
Mrs. D. W. NEWSOM
Jackson

Mrs. LIZZIE MURPHY
Mrs. EVELYN C. BECKWITH
Edenton Street, Raleigh

Mrs. M. O. SUMMERLIN
Mount Olive

Mrs. M. M. ALLEN
Grace Church, Wilmington

OFFICERS' REPORTS

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[No. 1.]

PRESIDENT.

The Conference president, Miss Emma Page, having been compelled to resign on account of ill health, presented no report.

[No. 2.]

FIRST VICE PRESIDENT.

Many years ago, on the shores of Galilee, Jesus used the lunch of a little boy to feed the hungry multitudes. Since that time he has used little children in missionary work. Miss Belle Brain says that in proportion to their income, children are the largest givers in the world. We who have worked with both children and grown people believe this to be true. If we were to take from our missionary work the gifts of the children, many of our greatest and best institutions would have to close. Children are not only the best givers, but they are also among the best prayers. James Chalmers of New Guinea said: "Thank God for bairns' prayers. I like best the prayers of little children."

The importance of the children's missionary societies is very great. Through these the children not only learn to give their money and their prayers, but also to give themselves to the work. Ann Gardner Moffat had a little mission band of seven children. From this little band came one of the world's greatest missionaries, Robert Moffat. Many of our greatest missionaries have given themselves to the work while they were children, not only Robert Moffat, but Bishop Patterson, James Chalmers, Adoniram Judson, Emily Judson, and many others. If you will read the lives of our own missionaries and deaconesses, you will be surprised to find how many of them felt the call to service while they were yet children. For these reasons one must see that one of the greatest influences for good in the church to-day, as in other days, is the children's missionary society. I pity the church which neglects this great work. All over the world, in scattered mission bands, thousands of little ones are at work, saving pennies, giving gladly; prayers are going up from pure and innocent hearts for God's blessing on the heathen world; and little hearts and lives are being given to God before the world can get its hands upon them. Oh! what a privilege to have a part in such a work! The first vice president who has been true and faithful to the little ones committed to her care can never know the extent of her work. From the ranks of your Bright Jewel Band may come some great missionary. At the least, you are training for service those who will be the very life of the Church in the years to come.

For us the year 1913 was one of hard work and great anxiety, but to-day we have great cause for rejoicing. The union not only greatly increased our labor, but the readjustment presented some very difficult problems. But our first vice presidents, with a few exceptions, have tried to carry on the work according to the rules laid down by the Woman's Council. Some of the former lady managers feared for the Mary Black Hospital, which had become so precious to them through years of labor for it, but they loyally undertook the raising of the additional $630 for the support of our new home mission special, the Japanese Kindergartens in California. After consultation with our Conference Corresponding Secretary for the Home Department and with the Council authorities, I early in the year chose this beautiful work for the special of the Home Department of the

Bright Jewels. At the end of the year we find that, in answer to our prayers, God has given us success. The close of the first year of the United Children's Missionary Society in the North Carolina Conference sees both pledges in full and running over. Let us thank God, take courage, and enter upon the new year's work with our lives more fully given to His service and a deeper faith in His power to help.

During the year 42 baby divisions and 102 junior divisions have reported to me. So far as I can judge, 10 of the junior divisions and 17 of the baby divisions are new, but so many societies have failed to report at all that I fear we cannot claim any great advance in numbers. I am convinced that the cause of this failure is almost invariably because no woman can be found capable and willing to lead them. The children are always glad to work. But they must have a leader. Last year, at the very close of the year, I had a letter from a dear girl sending a report without any money, saying, "We wanted you to know that we were still a Bright Jewel Band, but as we did not have any lady manager, we have not done any work." The failure of these children and of the many more like them to do valuable work for the Master and to grow in grace as they work for Him should lie heavily upon the conscience of that woman who might and would not lead them, preferring in all probability society pleasures or careless indolence to the clear call of service.

Our pledges for the year were $1,000 for the Mary Black Memorial Hospital at Soochow, China, and $630 for the Japanese Kindergartens at Oakland and Alameda, California. On this we used the money from memorial rolls, from mite boxes and special collections. Wherever the society in remitting did not specify the cause, all mite box money and special collections were divided—40 per cent to the home and 60 to the foreign special, according to the rule for mite boxes laid down by the Council. It would simplify the work of the Conference first vice president and not greatly alter the results if every auxiliary first vice president would simply send her mite box and special collection money in undivided. I so desire that all the children should have a part in all the work, and learn to pray and work for the Master's cause both at home and abroad.

The amount raised for dues has to be divided equally between the two departments. This has worked injustice this year to the foreign department. The bands which had been Mite Box Brigades had not been accustomed to paying dues, or only very small dues. Some of these loyally adopted the 5 cents a month recommended by our last annual meeting. Many did not do this. The result is that while we have raised more dues than ever before, and there is a remarkable increase in the amount for the Home Department, the amount of dues in the Foreign Department shows a sad falling off. It would seem only justice that while the Council requires the equal division of this fund, all societies strive faithfully to adopt the same rule in the matter of the amount sought. I recommend that 5 cents a month be again fixed for the membership fee, and that every first vice president be urged to educate her children, if possible, to this rule. Naturally this is one of the readjustments in which we will have to be patient.

The last annual meeting requested that every child be asked to pay 10 cents for Conference expense fund. It so complicates the children's work to multiply causes, that I have not pressed this matter. I thought it better to lay all our stress on the dues and pledge and to use enough of undirected special collections to meet the expenses of our work. I think that the year's work has proved the wisdom of this plan. I would recommend that hereafter no

expense fund be laid on the Bright Jewels, but that the Conference first vice president be authorized to retain from her collections an amount sufficient to meet the expenses of her office.

Last year the first vice president of the Home Department gave a banner to the society having the greatest increase in members and money. As the Foreign Department already had banners for the most money and for the largest increase in membership, I have decided to use the banner which had been given by the Home Department to the Baby Division which raised the most money. It therefore goes to the Rocky Mount band. Their baby division raised $26.25. The banner for the greatest increase in members goes to one of our new societies, Epworth, Raleigh. Biscoe has won the banner for the greatest amount per member by paying $2.98, but plucky little Pantego is not far behind with her $2.81. Quite a number have passed the $2 mark. And now it gives me unusual pleasure to announce that the banner for the largest amount goes again to Memorial Church, which held it last year. This band raised this year $223.56, the largest, so far as I know, ever raised by any band in any year. I want to congratulate them and the wide-awake, faithful women who have led them.

The report of the bands in detail has been prepared for publication. The summary shows:

Baby divisions, 46; Junior divisions, 102.
Baby division members, 530; Junior division members, 3,224.

Dues	Home, $ 548.05;	Foreign, $ 548.05
Pledge	Home, 672.35;	Foreign, 1,120.43
Annuity	Home, .07;	Foreign, .08
Elizabeth Stagg Scholarship	----------	40.00
Cary Bible Woman	----------	30.75
Candidate fund	----------	.05
Total	Home, $1,220.47;	Foreign, $1.739.38

Remitted to Mrs. Edgerton, $1.220.47; to Mrs. Adams, $1,739.38.
Conference Expense Fund, $109.85.
Grand total raised by the Bright Jewels during the year, $3,069.70.

Dr. Lyman Abbott once used this illustration: "I pluck an acorn from the greensward, and hold it to my ear, and this is what it says to me: 'By and by birds will come and nest in me. By and by I will furnish shade for the cattle. By and by I will provide warmth for the home in the pleasant fire. By and by I will be shelter from the storm to those who are under the roof. By and by I will be the strong ribs of the great vessel, and the tempest will break against me in vain while I carry men across the Atlantic.' 'Oh, foolish little acorn, wilt thou be all this?' I ask. And the little acorn answers: 'Yes; God and I.'" Miss Belle Brain applies this to the missionary possibilities of a little child: "I look into the face of a company of little children, and I hear a whisper saying: 'By and by I will be a blessing to many. By and by I will give money to the Lord Jesus for His work. By and by I will teach many to love the cause of missions. By and by I will cross the ocean to carry the gospel to those who have it not. By and by I will turn many from worshiping idols to serve the living God. By and by I shall finish my course and be among the glorified with my Redeemer.' 'You, frail, powerless little one?' I ask. And the little child makes answer: 'Yes; Christ and I.'"

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. N. H. D. WILSON,
First Vice President.

[No. 3.]

YOUNG PEOPLE'S WORK, 1913.

In presenting this report on Young People's Work I wish first of all to impress upon your minds and hearts the importance not only of winning, but also of holding the young people. Young people are to be found in every church. Their number varies. In some instances there are only a few; in others, they are more numerous, while in the larger communities they may be counted by scores and hundreds. Engaged in all the activities of life, enjoying all its freedom, they are at the same time exposed to all its dangers. Who is caring for them? Is the church making use of them? What are they doing? Where are they going? What are they reading? How many of us are either qualified or willing to answer these questions? Many of our boys and girls, becoming indifferent and discouraged, are drifting from our church, turning either to secret orders or to churches of other denominations where they claim to find a more united brotherhood. During these days of their sore need shall we be guilty of failing to reach out a helping hand in the spirit of true fellowship?

Possibly to win young people is not difficult, but surely to hold them is a problem. We must realize that before us lies a stupendous task, and that failure is inevitable unless they find in our lives both an example and an inspiration to Christian service. Spasmodic effort in this directon will of necessity prove ineffectual. A well organized system is an absolute necessity; but no machine, however perfect, will run itself. Leaders too are needed—leaders who are willing to devote time and energy to this work, who will study its needs and inspire the young people themselves with a realization of its possibilities.

We may well take as our motto for the coming year Paul's injunction to Timothy, "Study to show thyself approved unto God, a workman that needeth not to be ashamed." Paul saw wonderful possibilities in the life of this young man, and so with enthusiasm he urges Timothy to put forth his best efforts for the Master. Therefore he says "Study." It is only when we *know*, that we are able to *do*. Nowhere is this more true than in the field of missionary activity. Knowledge forms the basis of interest in missions. It strengthens our faith. It deepens our prayer life. It increases our giving. It gives us a wider vision of the world's needs and helps us to do our duty more willingly and more intelligently. It is true that we need to stress the educational and social natures of young people, but far more should we keep before them the spiritual element, for the Master has need of and is calling them. He is depending on them to carry His gospel into Judea, into Samaria, and unto the uttermost parts of the earth.

In regard to the young people of this our own North Carolina Conference, I take a pardonable pride in saying that all have done well, many have done exceptionally well; some have exhibited a phenomenal growth, while a few have well-nigh become a model of perfection. If time permitted, I should like to mention a number of auxiliaries. I must, however, content myself with rendering honor to whom honor is due. Among the united auxiliaries, Biscoe, with only 15 members—all of whom, however, are active and enthusiastic—has the best general record, averaging $20.05 per member. Laurinburg follows with an average of $14.83 per member. As regards departmental honors, Laurinburg stands first in the Foreign Department, with Biscoe a close second. In the Home Department, Biscoe

stands first, while Mary Steele of Rockingham holds second place. St. Paul's of Goldsboro takes third place in both departments.

There are four foreign auxiliaries deserving special mention: Franklinton, Hertford, Oxford, and Franklinton, No. 2.

At the beginning of the past year my first work was to put myself in touch with the young people of the Foreign Department. The young people of the Home Department had already been under my care for a year. My only task with them, therefore, was to revise the records. In all cases where only one department was represented I urged the president of the auxiliary to add the other department wherever practicable.

My letters and appeals throughout the year have met with a hearty and prompt response, and the reports also have been prompt and accurate. In a few instances auxiliaries have been allowed to lapse, but, on the other hand, we are glad to report four accessions, as follows: Ocracoke, Rowland, Greenville, and Faison.

The literature for our young people has been more attractive this year than formerly. The thoughts and suggestions offered have appealed more strongly to the readers. That this is in itself a great gain I am sure all will admit, since so many of the young people depend entirely upon this one source for their information. Unfortunately, there are very few subscribers to either of our periodicals.

I regret to add that the week of prayer was poorly observed by the young people. Let us hope that another year will show a deeper interest in this special season.

During the past year I have endeavored to encourage the young people to report their work through the columns of the *Raleigh Christian Advocate*, hoping in this way to keep our work before the people and if possible to create a deeper interest among ourselves. A few of the young people responded; but may I ask, "What did you older folks do?" Your editor waited—but in vain—for you failed to furnish "copy."

The Laredo Seminary and the McTyiere School which formed the "specials" for the young people as assigned by the Woman's Missionary Council, were not stressed. I did, however, mention them in my first letter to the auxiliaries, and special literature concerning them was sent out. We failed, however, to face the situation, only two auxiliaries responding. I now, therefore, urge that in forming our plans for the year we keep these specials well to the front.

I heartily commend the young people of the North Carolina Conference for their faithfulness, and pray that the close of the year 1914 may find us more loyal, more earnest, more consecrated to Him and to His great cause, whose we are and whom we serve.

Number of districts in Conference	9
Number of districts having young people's work	8
Number of young people's Auxiliaries	37
Number of members	730
Literature distributed	12,662
Letters written	250
Subscribers to "Missionary Voice"	59
Subscribers to "Young Christian Worker"	9

	Dues.		Pledge.		Conference Fee.		Retirement and Relief.		Scarritt Bible and Training School.		Scholarship.		Week of Prayer.		Totals.		Totals, Home and Foreign.
	Home.	Foreign.	Home.	Foreign.	Home.	Foreign.	Home.	Foreign.	Home.	Foreign.	Home.	Foreign.	Home.	Foreign.	Home.	Foreign.	
Wilmington District:																	
3 auxiliaries, 117 members	$16.59	$25.82	$25.67	$46.58	$ .45	$ 2.20	$----	$----	$------	$------	$----	$----	$----	$----	$42.71	$74.60	$117.31
Washington District:																	
2 auxiliaries, 25 members	7.77	7.78	16.00	16.00	1.75	1.75	.90	.80	-------	-------	------	------	------	------	26.42	26.33	52.75
Durham District:																	
1 auxiliary, 20 members	8.12	7.73	9.25	9.25	.60	.60	.25	.30	-------	-------	------	------	------	------	18.22	17.88	36.10
Elizabeth City District:																	
3 auxiliaries, 62 members	5.05	37.15	5.00	71.75	-------	5.55	.25	1.50	1.00	1.00	------	------	------	------	11.30	116.95	128.25
Warrenton District:																	
2 auxiliaries, 126 members	13.00	46.35	4.35	62.45	.25	.25	------	------	-------	-------	------	40.00	------	------	17.60	149.05	166.65
New Bern District:																	
5 auxiliaries, 106 members	24.25	29.81	44.43	56.33	2.70	2.65	1.45	1.55	1.00	2.60	------	40.00	2.00	2.00	75.83	134.77	210.77
Raleigh District:																	
7 auxiliaries, 129 members	6.00	76.75	-------	178.57	.87	14.03	------	2.60	1.00	5.00	------	70.10	------	2.00	7.87	349.05	356.92
Rockingham District:*																	
15 auxiliaries, 289 members	121.91	129.44	89.65	384.66	16.12	8.13	4.35	3.00	4.00	4.00	------	190.00	18.98	------	327.27	786.51	1,113.78

*Laredo, home, $62.28; McTyiere, foreign, $42.28; Sue Bennett, home, $10.00; District Missionary, foreign, $25.00.

With this report I offer my resignation as second vice president. For two years it has been my privilege and honor to serve you in this capacity, and it is with a reluctant heart that I relinquish my young people; but it seems best to me, and I am sure it is best for the work. And now to my successor I pledge my hearty coöperation and prayers.

Respectfully submitted,

LILLIE DUKE,
Second Vice President.

[No. 4.]

THIRD VICE PRESIDENT.

My report includes only the reports of the third and fourth quarters, as I came into this work in September to fill the unexpired term of Mrs. W. B. North. Because of this change, there has been much confusion and delay in this work, and the results have been meager and indefinite.

Thirty-five auxiliaries have reported to me, reporting 15 adult and young people's mission study classes, with 179 enrolled in these classes.

One auxiliary reported a juvenile mission study class with 17 enrolled.

One auxiliary reported a mission study library.

Forty-nine persons were reported as having signed the Christian Stewardship pledge.

Despite the meagerness of this statistical report, there has been a very true note of encouragement, for there have been earnest requests for information and literature concerning Christian Stewardship and Mission Study, showing that our women are awakening in some measure to the importance and possibilities of this phase of the work.

I have found that a number of auxiliaries have failed to elect third vice presidents. I appeal to the auxiliaries to organize along Council lines which require that there shall be four vice presidents. On account of the great importance of knowledge of the needs of the work, it seems to me that it is absolutely necessary that a woman qualified to organize and lead this work be elected in every auxiliary.

Believing as I do that Christian Stewardship means much more than merely tithing, I urge that great emphasis be placed on this phase of the work, for each one is a steward of time, talents, and means.

The great purpose that we should seek to accomplish through this department this year is the deepened prayer life of every member of our organization. More depends on this than on any one other thing.

Realizing the possibilities of this department of our work, if properly developed, I appeal to each auxiliary third vice president to coöperate with her Conference third vice president in making this department bring to the whole work all that a deepened prayer life, an increased knowledge of the needs, and an increased realization of the responsibilities and privileges of stewardship bring.

Respectfully submitted,

SALLIE LOU MCKINNON,
Conference Third Vice President.

[No. 5.]

SOCIAL SERVICE.

At the Council meeting in Birmingham our beloved president, Miss Belle Bennett, incorporated in her message the Social Platform of the Federal Council of Churches, which is only a clear declaration of the Christian world as expressed through thirty of the great Protestant denominations of the country.

As this platform was adopted, it becomes my duty as your fourth vice president to lay it before you, that a discussion of its several features be brought about and that the standing committee of nine be appointed in the Conference to coöperate with other philanthropic and State agencies in the promotion of these causes.

PLATFORM.

"The churches must stand:

"1. For equal rights and complete justice for all men in all stations of life.

"2. For the protection of the family, by the single standard of purity, uniform divorce laws, proper regulation of marriage, and proper housing.

"3. For the fullest possible development for every child, especially by the provision of proper education and recreation.

"4. For the abolition of child labor.

"5. For such regulation of the conditions of toil for women as shall safeguard the physical and moral health of the community.

"6. For the abatement and prevention of poverty.

"7. For the protection of the individual and society from the social, economic, and moral waste of the liquor traffic.

"8. For the right of all men to the opportunity for self-maintenance, for safeguarding this right against encroachments of every kind, and for the protection of workers from the hardships of enforced unemployment.

"9. For the conservation of health.

"10. For the protection of the worker from dangerous machinery, occupational diseases, and mortality.

"11. For suitable provision for the old age of workers, and for those incapacitated by injury.

"12. For the right of employees and employers alike to organize for adequate means of conciliation and arbitration in industrial disputes.

"13. For a release from employment one day in seven.

"14. For the gradual and reasonable reduction of the hours of labor to the lowest practicable point, and for that degree of leisure for all which is a condition of the highest human life.

"15. For a living wage as a minimum in every industry, and for the highest wage that each industry can afford.

"16. For a new emphasis upon the application of Christian principles to the acquisition and use of property, and for the most equitable division of the product of industry that can ultimately be devised."

Let us see if there be any relation between Social Service and Missions.

Surely there must be, unless our religious life is a thing apart from our social life, our home and neighborhood life. Such a religion as that would lack all vitality and would be ridiculed as only an excess of emotionalism.

The religion that our Lord taught, that makes new creatures of us, teaches that he who would be chief among you must be the servant of all.

Our Master himself could not accomplish his great mission—his death for our transgressions—until he had gone about all those years among the people, proving that he did care for them, healing their sick, restoring their sight, quieting the demoniac, even raising their dead. Not only by these greater acts, but by his entering into their homes, supping with them—partaking of the feast, or of the mere grains of wheat rolled in their hands and eaten as they passed through the field—by the whole routine of his everyday life, he taught us the ministry to the body along with the ministry to the souls of men. And so we must emphasize the social side of Christianity.

If thy brother have need. Who is my brother? We have long heard of and cherished the *Fatherhood of God.* Then follows the *brotherhood of man.* Then we must look to the need of the brother. It may be that his need is only a change of environment, or greater light along certain lines of living, so that both physical and moral protection may be afforded.

The State is providing the means of education, but we should see to it that it shall be Christian education, that there should be conservation of health and of the vital powers, so that the best that is in us be brought out for the future service of our Father God and our brother man.

Social Service was the entering wedge in our foreign fields, for by gathering the children into schools, providing hospitals, physicians and nurses for the sick and suffering, and demonstrating the love for all humanity that our Gospel teaches, by these means as much as by preaching our missionaries won their way, and opened field after field until from all the dark places rings the Macedonian cry, "Come over and help us."

The social concience is so aroused in our time that there are many organizations, State and otherwise, for bringing about the human touch between the people of all classes. And it is our duty to aid in this great cause, that we may be workers together with Him in extending the life more abundant that He came to give.

Different denominations have different plans for stimulating the social service work. Ours is systematic and orderly, and no member of our church, and especially of our Woman's Missionary Society, can afford to be indifferent to it.

1. Number of auxiliaries in our Conference, 200.
2. Number having fourth vice presidents, uncertain.
3. Number country, 9 reported.
4. Number village, 20 reported.
5. Number town, 27 reported.
6. Number city, 12 reported.
7. Amount spent on parsonages, $939.20 plus.
8. Amount spent on churches, $1,361.73.
9. Number auxiliaries holding cottage prayer-meetings, 13.
10. Number auxiliaries having committee visit sick and strangers, 55.
11. Number auxiliaries doing personal work in other lines, 16.
12. Number auxiliaries having local fund, 33.
13. Amount expended in giving relief, $1,361.73.
14. Amount expended for other purposes, $55.16.
15. Number of auxiliaries having committee to visit benevolent and corrective institutions, 8.

16. Number of auxiliaries having committee work for negroes, 1.
17. Number of auxiliaries contributing to city mission boards, 0.
18. Number of auxiliaries coöperating with other betterment agencies, 8.
19. Number of auxiliaries taking social service study, 12.
20. Number of auxiliaries holding special Sunday-school meetings, 4.

In presenting this report I would call attention to the fact that this is the newest department of our missionary work.

We have just completed the second full year, and while I fear that we have not awakened to a full conception of the magnitude and importance of this department, there is much to encourage us and to stimulate us to greater zeal and diligence in both learning our duty along these lines and then doing it.

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. W. H. SPEIGHT,
Conference Fourth Vice President.

[No. 6.]

ANNUAL STATEMENT OF FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

Dues:		
Auxiliaries	$ 2,968.89	
Young People	360.83	
Bright Jewels	548.07	
		$ 3,877.79
Pledge:		
Auxiliaries	$ 9,332.87	
Young People	854.09	
Bright Jewels	1,120.43	
		11,307.39
Scholarships:		
Auxiliaries	$ 345.70	
Young People	342.10	
Bright Jewels	40.00	
		727.80
Bible Women:		
Auxiliaries	$ 211.00	
Young People		
Bright Jewels	30.75	
		241.75
Specials:		
Retirement Fund	$ 78.23	
Scarritt Endowment Fund	88.46	
McTyiere School	42.28	
Blanche Fentress School	55.50	
Rio School	279.03	
Reavis School	225.00	
Joy Hardie School	251.00	
Mary Helm School	300.00	
Miss Lamb's School	25.00	
Korean Widows	1,000.00	
Honorary Life Members	3.15	
Nurses' Training School	100.00	
Piano, Carolina Institute	50.00	
Mrs. Parker's School	75.00	
Rev. F. K. Gamble	6.20	
		2,578.85
		$18,734.08

By checks: Miss Page	$ 375.00	
Mrs. Frank Page	375.00	
Mrs. J. E. Stagg	1,000.00	
By receipt, Mrs. Ross to Mrs. Ray	25.00	
Remitted Mrs. Ross	16,959.00	
	$18,734.08	
Missionary Candidate Fund:		
Balance from previous year	$ 21.40	
Collections for year	34.60	
		$ 56.00
Remitted Dr. Quillian	$ 56.00	
Conference Expense Fund:		
Balance from previous year	$ 300.68	
Collections for year	599.21	
	$ 899.89	
Expense for year	745.14	
Balance in hand		$ 154.75
Balance from previous year	$ 322.08	
Total collections for year	19,367.89	
	$19,689.97	
Total disbursements for year	19,535.22	
Balance in bank		$ 154.75
Total collections for 1913		$19,367.89
Total collections for 1912		17,862.18
Increase		$ 1,505.71

Respectfully submitted,
MRS. B. B. ADAMS, *Treasurer,*
Foreign Department.

[No. 7.]

TREASURER'S REPORT, HOME DEPARTMENT, 1913.

DURHAM DISTRICT.

Dues, adult	$ 160.30	
Amount raised Week of Prayer	14.10	
Amount raised, Deaconess Scholarship	1.00	
Conference pledge, free-will offering	182.07	
Specials	2.95	
Conference expense fund	18.75	
Total remitted to Conference Treasurer		$ 379.17
Value of supplies sent off and reported to Superintendent Supply Department	$ 42.35	
Value of supplies given locally	210.57	
Amount expended for assistance of needy	81.95	
Amount expended on parsonages	50.00	
Amount expended on churches	31.60	
Auxiliary expense fund	2.00	
Total local work		418.47
Total for all purposes		$ 797.64

ELIZABETH CITY DISTRICT.

Dues, adult	$ 424.25	
Amount raised Week of Prayer, adults	43.88	
Amount raised, Deaconess Scholarship	4.50	
Baby mite boxes	.47	
Florine McEachern mite boxes	1.47	
Conference pledge, free-will offering	269.20	
Specials	15.60	
Conference expense fund	40.15	
Total sent to Conference Treasurer		$ 799.52
Value of supplies sent off and reported to Superintendent Supply Department	$ 300.37	
Value of supplies given locally	330.10	
Amount expended for assistance of needy	113.35	
Amount expended on parsonages	409.95	
Amount expended on churches	2,124.08	
Auxiliary expense fund	4.25	
City mission work	.90	
Specials	28.10	
Total local work		3,311.10
Total for all purposes		$ 4,110.62

FAYETTEVILLE DISTRICT.

Dues, adult	$ 187.28	
Baby Division	.25	
Amount raised Week of Prayer	17.45	
Amount raised, Deaconess Scholarship	1.80	
Baby mite boxes	1.25	
Florine McEachern mite boxes	1.35	
Conference pledge, free-will offering	178.15	
Specials	2.75	
Conference expense fund	12.15	
Total remitted to Conference Treasurer		$ 402.43
Value of supplies sent off and reported to Superintendent Supply Department	$ 34.00	
Value of supplies given locally	35.50	
Amount expended for assistance of needy	15.00	
Amount expended on parsonages	42.53	
Amount expended on churches	135.06	
Specials	137.50	
Total local work		399.59
Total for all purposes		$ 802.02

NEW BERN DISTRICT.

Dues, adult	$ 265.40	
Adult mite boxes	10.00	
Conference pledge, free-will offering	317.47	
Specials	11.20	
Conference expense fund	37.95	
Total sent to Conference Treasurer		$ 642.01

Value of supplies sent off and reported to Superintendent Supply Department	$ 48.50	
Value of supplies given locally	1,634.39	
Total local work		$ 1,682.89
Total work for all purposes		$ 2,324.90

RALEIGH DISTRICT.

Dues, adult	$ 351.40	
Baby Division	4.93	
Amount raised Week of Prayer, adults	46.52	
Amount raised, Deaconess Scholarship	5.75	
Baby mite boxes	2.60	
Conference pledge, free-will offering	262.14	
Specials	23.20	
Conference expense	30.75	
Total remitted to Conference Treasurer		$ 727.29
Value supplies sent off and reported to Superintendent Supply Department	$ 133.00	
Value of supplies given locally	701.57	
Amount expended for assistance of needy	466.42	
Amount expended on parsonages	411.85	
Amount expended on churches	798.03	
Auxiliary expense fund	3.00	
City mission work	25.70	
Specials	75.15	
Total local work		2,614.72
Total for all purposes		$ 3,342.01

ROCKINGHAM DISTRICT.

Dues, adult	$ 309.26	
Amount raised Week of Prayer	32.60	
Amount raised, Deaconess Scholarship	1.00	
Conference pledge, free-will offering	198.51	
Specials	7.45	
Conference expense fund	33.95	
Total remitted to Conference Treasurer		$ 582.77
Value of supplies sent off and reported to Superintendent Supply Department	$ 177.79	
Value of supplies given locally	38.25	
Amount expended for assistance of needy	75.75	
Amount expended on parsonages	308.25	
Amount expended on churches	826.24	
City mission work	45.25	
Total local work		1,471.53
Total for all purposes		$ 2,054.30

WARRENTON DISTRICT.

Dues, adult	$ 237.85
Amount raised Week of Prayer, adults	54.90
Baby mite boxes	.82
Florine McEachern mite boxes	2.64

Conference pledge, free-will offering	$ 52.75	
Educational endowment fund	2.45	
Specials	7.75	
Conference expense fund	12.45	
Total remitted to Conference Treasurer		$ 371.61
Value of supplies sent off and reported to Superintendent Supply Department	$ 231.70	
Value of supplies given locally	79.45	
Amount expended on parsonages	163.22	
Amount expended on churches	159.81	
Total local work		634.18
Total for all purposes		$ 1,005.79

WASHINGTON DISTRICT.

Dues, adult	$ 239.40	
Amount raised Week of Prayer	15.00	
Conference pledge, free-will offering	91.90	
Specials	4.05	
Conference expense	20.40	
Total sent Conference Treasurer		$ 370.75
Value of supplies sent off and reported to Superintendent Supply Department	$ 200.00	
Value of supplies given locally	24.20	
Amount expended assistance of needy	16.31	
Amount expended on parsonages	236.29	
Amount expended on churches	708.66	
Specials	101.00	
Total local work		1,286.46
Totals for all purposes		$ 1,657.21

WILMINGTON DISTRICT.

Dues, adult	$ 244.60	
Amount raised Week of Prayer, adult	38.52	
Amount raised, Deaconess Scholarship	40.00	
Conference pledge, free-will offering	255.75	
Brevard	78.00	
Specials	11.65	
Conference expense	31.70	
Total sent to Conference Treasurer		$ 700.22
Value of supplies sent off and reported to Superintendent Supply Department	$ 172.55	
Value of supplies given locally	79.62	
Amount expended for assistance of needy	121.86	
Amount expended on parsonages	13.30	
Amount expended on churches	46.40	
Specials	124.92	
Total local work		558.65
Total for all purposes		$ 1,258.87

MRS. N. H. D. WILSON, First Vice President.

Junior Division	$ 517.82
Baby Roll Division	30.23
Junior mite boxes	231.84
Baby mite boxes	21.45
Specials	419.13
Conference expense fund	44.92
Total remitted to Conference Treasurer	$ 1,265.39

MISS LILLIE DUKE, Second Vice President.

Dues Young People's Auxiliary	$ 202.69	
Amount raised Week of Prayer	20.98	
Conference pledge, free-will offering	177.68	
Specials	86.48	
Conference expense fund	22.74	
Total remitted to Conference Treasurer		$ 510.57
Amount expended for assistance of needy	$ 4.50	
Amount expended on churches	.10	
Auxiliary expense fund	3.68	
Total local work		8.28
Total for all purposes		$ 518.85

RECAPITULATION OF DISTRICTS AND FIRST AND SECOND VICE PRESIDENTS.

Dues, adults	$ 2,419.74	
Dues, young people	202.69	
Junior Division	517.82	
Baby Division	35.41	
Amount raised Week of Prayer, adults	262.97	
Amount raised Week of Prayer, young people	20.98	
Junior mite boxes	231.84	
Amount raised Deaconess Scholarship	54.05	
Adult mite boxes	10.00	
Baby mite boxes	26.59	
Florine McEachern mite boxes	5.46	
Conference pledge, free-will offering	1,985.62	
Special Brevard	78.00	
Educational endowment fund	2.45	
Specials	592.21	
Conference expense fund	305.91	
Total received by Conference Treasurer		$ 6,751.74
Value of supplies sent off and reported to Superintendent Supply Department	$ 1,340.26	
Value of supplies given locally	3,133.65	
Amount expended assistance needy	895.14	
Amount expended on parsonages	1,635.39	
Amount expended on churches	4,829.98	
Auxiliary expense fund	12.93	
Amount expended for city mission work	71.85	
Specials	466.67	
Total local work		12,385.87
Total for all purposes		$19,137.61

RECAPITULATION BY DISTRICTS.

District.	Cash to Treasurer. 1913.	Cash to Treasurer. 1912.	Local Work. 1913.	Local Work. 1912.
Raleigh	$ 727.29	$ 658.72	$ 2,614.72	$ 1,784.55
Warrenton	371.61	543.93	634.18	1,138.69
Durham	379.17	491.38	418.47	862.79
Fayetteville	402.43	388.05	399.59	1,162.11
Rockingham	582.77	537.19	1,471.53	1,090.89
New Bern	642.02	608.32	1,682.89	938.97
Elizabeth City	799.52	897.36	3,311.10	1,610.87
Washington	370.75	460.70	1,286.46	1,171.37
Wilmington	700.22	549.90	558.65	1,003.55
First Vice President	1,265.39	---------	----------	----------
Second Vice President	510.57	---------	8.28	----------
	$6,751.74	$5,135.55	$12,385.87	$10,763.79

GRAND RECAPITULATION OF AMOUNTS RAISED FOR ALL PURPOSES.

	1913.	1912.	
Remitted to Conference Treasurer	$ 6,751.74	$ 5,135.55	
Expended on local work	12,385.87	10,763.79	
	$19,137.61	$15,899.34	
Amount raised over last year			$ 3,238.27

RECEIPTS.

Checks received from General Treasurer	$ 700.00
Received from District secretaries, first and second vice presidents	6,751.74
Received one-half collection at Wilson	19.66
Received Mrs. B. B. Adams, expense fund	41.17
	$ 7,512.57

DISBURSEMENTS.

1913.			
Feby.	4.	Miss Georgia Biggs	$ 15.00
"	4.	Mrs. J. G. Fearing	16.95
"	4.	Mrs. B. B. Adams	25.00
"	5.	Mrs. I. T. Wilkins	6.50
"	5.	Mrs. R. B. John	5.85
"	5.	Mrs. J. E. Underwood	5.25
"	5.	Mrs. W. I. Shaw	8.25
"	7.	Miss Lillie Duke	40.00
"	8.	Mrs. Lee Morgan	6.45
"	10.	Miss Georgia Biggs	6.90
"	10.	Mrs. A. D. Muse	10.00
"	12.	Miss Annie Bass	8.85
"	15.	Mrs. W. B. North	7.50
"	24.	Miss Sarah Regan	13.50
March	6.	Mrs. G. R. Barrow	10.35
"	6.	Mrs. B. N. Mann	15.60
"	10.	Mrs. R. W. McDonnell	60.61
"	12.	Mrs. N. E. Edgerton	6.87
"	12.	Mrs. R. B. John	15.30
"	27.	Mrs. J. W. Bowlan	2.90
"	12.	Miss Lillie Duke	20.00
"	31.	The Seaman Printery	140.00

April	15.	Mrs. N. H. D. Wilson	$ 25.00	
"	22.	Mrs. R. B. John	62.22	
May	20.	Miss Lillie Duke	72.55	
June	26.	Miss Lillie Duke	40.00	
"	26.	Mrs. W. H. Speight	12.00	
Sept.	10.	Miss Lillie Duke	60.00	
Oct.	28.	Mrs. B. B. Adams	17.02	
Dec.	28.	Mrs. N. H. D. Wilson	19.92	
"	28.	Mrs. N. E. Edgerton	20.00	
		Paid to Conference officers	$ 776.34	
		Remitted to General Treasurer	6,367.83	
		Remitted to Mrs. F. H. E. Ross (Brevard)	78.00	
		Overdraft paid	37.52	
				$ 7,259.69
		Balance on hand		$ 252.88

BANK OF SELMA CERTIFICATE.

The balance to credit of Woman's Missionary Society, Mrs. N. E. Edgerton, Treasurer, on the books of the Bank of Selma, January 13, 1914, was three thousand four hundred seventy-six and 82-hundredth dollars ($3,476.82). S. L. MADRY, *Asst. Cashier.*

Bank balance as above		$ 3,476.82
Outstanding checks:		
Mrs. F. H. E. Ross, General Treasurer	$ 3,203.94	
Mrs. N. E. Edgerton, Treasurer	20.00	
		3,223.94
Balance on hand		$ 252.88

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. N. E. EDGERTON,
Conference Treasurer, Home Department.

We have carefully checked the books of the Treasurer, and hereby certify that—

Her receipts were	$ 7,512.57
Her disbursements were	7,239.69
Balance on hand	$ 252.88

N. E. EDGERTON,
W. H. CALL,
Auditing Committee.

[No. 8.]

CORRESPONDING SECRETARY'S REPORT.

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE CORRESPONDING SECRETARY OF FOREIGN DEPARTMENT OF WOMAN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY OF THE NORTH CAROLINA CONFERENCE FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1913.

Number of districts	9
New auxiliaries—Adult	3
New auxiliaries—Young People	4
New auxiliaries—Junior Division	25
Total new auxiliaries	32

New members—Adult	45
New members—Young People	none.
New members—Junior Division	none.
Total new members	49
Adult auxiliaries	108
Auxiliaries—Young People	37
Auxiliaries—Junior Division	101
Baby Division	41
Total	277
Members—Adult	2,679
Members—Young People	730
Members—Junior Division	3,166
Total members	7,079
Total baby enrollment	504
Life members	285
Honorary life members	20
Life patrons	6
Subscribers to Missionary Voice	926
Subscribers to Young Christian Worker	410
Missionaries supported	13
Scholarships	17
Bible women	8
Widows' Home	1
Substations	5
Hospital (Mary Black, supported by Bright Jewels)	1
Day schools (Blanche Fentress, Mary Helm, Joy Hardie, Reavis)	4
Nurse Training School, Mary Black Hospital, Soochow, China	1
Amount pledged by Conference	$12,000.00
Amount raised on pledge	11,307.39
Total amount raised this year	19,367.92

NAMES OF SCHOLARSHIPS.

Mary Frances Hay, Wan San, Korea. Supported by New Bern Centenary Auxiliary.

Emma Finlayson, Belle Horizonte, Brazil. Supported by Faison Auxiliary.

Mamie Barrett, Petropolis, Brazil. Supported by Young People of Franklinton.

Mary T. Pescud, Rio, Brazil. Supported by Mary Pescud Society of Edenton Street Church, Raleigh.

Minnie Mangum Wilson, Porto Allegre, Brazil. Supported by Maxton Young People's Auxiliary.

Della Bobbett, Soochow, China. Supported by Banks Chapel Auxiliary.

Bettie Vann, Songdo, Korea. Supported by Franklinton Young People, No. 2.

Lula Hester Rhodes, Mary Keener Institute, Mexico. Supported by Littleton College.

Elizabeth Stagg, Rio, Brazil. Supported by Bright Jewels of Memorial Church, Durham.

Lillian Gill, Petropolis, Brazil. Supported by Laurinburg Young People.

Annie Dixon, Wan San, Korea. Supported by Goldsboro Young People.

Maude Jones, Soochow, China. Supported by Red Springs Young People.

Sarah Margaret Barnes, Petropolis, Brazil. Supported by Maxton Auxiliary.

Ella Martin Page, Petropolis, Brazil. Supported by Biscoe Young People.

Clara Martin, Songdo, Korea. Supported by Mrs. Frank Page.

Fannie Westbrook, Belle Horizonte, Brazil. Supported by Faison Auxiliary.

BIBLE WOMEN.

S. W. Humber, Soochow, China. Supported by Mrs. S. W. Humber.

Ethel Mercer, Soochow, China. Supported by Red Springs Auxiliary.

Fannie Wood Steele, Wan San, Korea. Supported by Rockingham Young People.

Jessie Gray, Wan San, Korea. Supported by Lumberton Young People.

Elizabeth Stanback, Soochow, China. Supported by Mount Gilead Young People.

Helen Clark Fetts, China. Supported by Sanford Auxiliary.

Lou Hill Davis, Wan San, Korea. Supported by Louisburg Auxiliary.

Beatrice Jenkins, Wan San, Korea. Supported by Banks Chapel and Cary Auxiliaries.

A FEW OF THE MISSIONARIES SUPPORTED BY THE CONFERENCE SOCIETY.

Miss Madge Hendry, Davidson Memorial, Soochow, China. Supported by Laurinburg and Young People's Auxiliaries.

Miss Mary T. Pescud, Petropolis, Brazil.

Miss Elizabeth Lamb, Porto Allegre, Brazil.

Miss Ida Hankins, Seoul, Korea.

Miss Annie Clare Bradshaw, Huchow, China.

Miss Mattie Ivey, Seoul, Korea (should her health permit her return to the field).

Miss Lillian Moore (who is a missionary candidate).

Our report shows an increase of four Young People's Auxiliaries. In the Junior Division there are twenty-five more auxiliaries than last year. Probably this increase has been caused by all of the children of both Home and Foreign societies being reported in the Junior Division, and to Mrs. Wilson's indefatigable work.

I regret that there is a decrease of ten adult auxiliaries and three hundred and twenty members.

However, there is encouragement for us in the increase of $1,621.26 on the pledge.

Since great changes sometimes cause lost motion for a while, or until adjustments grow smooth and we become accustomed to the new conditions, let us hope that reaction will set in with the new year and, with so many new officers to give fresh impetus to the work, that the year 1914 will be a red letter year in the cause of missions.

I would advise an early start and continuous action, since these are requisites for reaching the goal.

THE WORK FOR THE YEAR 1914.

1. Prayer and sacrifice.
2. Dues.
3. Pledge of $12,000.
4. Conference expense fund.
5. Missionary candidate fund.
6. Missionary retirement fund.

7. Scholarships.
8. Bible women.
9. Sub-mission stations:
   Blanche Fentress School.
   Mary Helm School.
   Joy Hardie Bible School.
   Nurse Training School.
   Reavis School.
   The Scarritt Bible and Training School.
   Rio School.
   Widows' Home.

And other special work that may be decided upon by the Woman's Council.

A Conference society that holds its annual session prior to the meeting of the Woman's Council is at a great disadvantage and the whole work suffers. May the time soon come when the majority can see this as I do, and reap the benefit from the change.

I recommend that another and stronger effort be made to have all quarterly and annual reports forwarded as directed in by-laws.

I further recommend that as soon as possible all auxiliaries furnish themselves with record books from Mrs. Bessie Lipscomb, Nashville, Tenn.

This may be a very trying and anxious year for the missionary women of the M. E. Church, South, since our General Conference meets in May and its legislation may bring changes in our constitution which will cause, ere we are fully adjusted, more readjusting. Should this occur, we hope it will be for the best. But let no one be discouraged because of such a possibility, remembering that our Heavenly Father will guard His own.

Our work is to love our neighbor as ourselves according to the definition of neighbor that Jesus gave us. If we do that, we will be kept busy, and we can afford to leave the results with God.

To be Good Samaritans we must remember that Christian Missions, Home and Foreign, are among the most notable examples of the spirit of the Good Samaritan, Jesus Christ. Let us give good service. As service is the purpose of our education, so also is it the means of our future training. We are trained for service, and we are trained by service. We are told that a violin tuned by a master grows ever richer and sweeter with the years. "A Stradivarius three hundred years old, played for years by Paganini, holds his spirit ready to breathe it forth again in music at the touch of a master." So God makes and fashions us, and, if we will respond to His touch, He tunes us and fills us with His spirit, and so prepares us to praise Him in an unending life of service. To be found in the line of duty, though it be but to give a cup of cold water in the name of the Christ, is beautiful service which will merit its reward. God give us the true missionary spirit that we may treat the poor, the despised, the outcast, the degraded, the heathen, as our neighbors and give them all possible aid. To neglect these neighbors by not thinking to do is no excuse. You recall Hood's *The Lady's Dream.* "She saw those who had suffered from her neglect, sick, starving, dying. Their sad eyes burned her very soul."

"And yet it was never in my soul
To play so ill a part.
But evil is wrought by want of thought
As well as by want of heart."

Pardon my message, which is longer than usual, since this closes my work as your Conference corresponding secretary and my twentieth consecutive year in this office.

Thirty-six years ago the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the North Carolina Conference was organized with my name first on the roll. I was elected one of its officers, and I have been an incumbent ever since. I have watched, tended, and loved it as a mother her child. So you can see why I linger at the parting. Were I more stoical and less emotional, I would be present with you in person as I am in spirit. Put yourselves in my place, and then you will understand why I write my goodbye instead of saying it face to face. And I am not needed, since you have such a nice "bill of fare" for the session. A great feast awaits you in the sermon of Bishop McCoy, and the presence of Mrs. Albright, Mrs. Britt, Mrs. Spillman, and Miss Stradley will be an inspiration.

It is due you and me that I give, at least, a short explanation for my action in resigning the office of Conference corresponding secretary of the Foreign Department. I am acting from a sense of duty. After a year's experience, I find that my training has been so long and thorough in the Foreign Mission work that it is not easy to give that up and begin to follow another plan, and I cannot give it that enthusiastic attention that the work should have. I am anxious for the great missionary work of the Church to go forward to success. I regard this as the opportune time for a new corresponding secretary to be initiated. She can become familiar with the work as it is, with no cherished plans to give up; with all to learn and nothing to unlearn. May God direct you in electing my successor. May He anoint her for the great service to which He calls her, and may success crown her efforts.

To my many friends who have been so faithful to me I am truly grateful. I thank and bless you for your forbearance and great help. And now may the Lord Jesus be with and abide with this missionary society and with you each one individually, now and forever.

Respectfully submitted,

SUE D. SWINDELL,
Corresponding Secretary, Foreign Department.

[No. 9.]

REPORT OF CORRESPONDING SECRETARY OF THE HOME DEPARTMENT.

Perhaps the most unsatisfactory feature of report-making is that the best things in a work like ours are the ones hardest to put into report form. A tabulation of certain material facts is always necessary, and does in some measure represent what has been done.

The year just closing has been one of such marked advance in every way that our hearts are made glad in the Lord, for He has led us all the days.

As one whose duty it has been to lead the way, and watch the growth, and gather the facts, I can tell you with joyfulness that it has been a good year. Not all has been easy; not everything has been done in just the best manner. However, the spirit of love has been large in many hearts, and there has been such earnestness of purpose and such honesty of effort that a great forward-moving tide has set in.

Certainly from no corps of district secretaries could come more hearty support and ready response than have been given this year.

And they tell me that you of the auxiliaries have given them like support. You, indeed, have made possible their splendid work.

Particular mention must be made of the large work of Mrs. N. H. D. Wilson with the children, and that of Miss Lillie Duke with the Young People. Surely these are two women in their appointed places. When their reports appear in printed form, make a study of them; then sing a song of gladness, and with thanksgiving offer up prayer for them in their work. Nearly four thousand children and young people are now enrolled.

Adult membership does not show large gain for the year, but the increase in number of those taking reading courses and doing mission study is beginning to bear fruit in increase of interest and intelligent labor.

Our pledge of $3,000 has not been reached, but with nearly $2,000 of it already in hand, we have courage to undertake the finish, and earnestly hope that the deficit may be met in the pledge for the new year.

Wilmington, New Bern, and Rockingham districts deserve mention as having overpaid their pledge assessments.

Number of Adult Auxiliaries	101
Number of Adult members	2,421
Number of Young People's Auxiliaries	42
Number of Young People members	730
Number of Junior Divisions	101
Number of Junior Division members	3,166
Total number of members	6,317
Baby Divisions	41
Baby Division members	504
Subscribers to Missionary Voice	592
Number taking reading course	489
Amount of pledge raised	$ 1,985.62

MRS. R. B. JOHN,
Corresponding Secretary, Home Department.

[No. 10.]

FIELD SECRETARY.

At the close of the first term as your field secretary, much to my surprise I was reappointed to that office. We have now reached the close of the second year's work. I therefore take pleasure in submitting the following report:

In accordance with the plan adopted the previous year, I was again subject to the orders of the district secretaries. A few of these were eager and in fact enthusiastic over the thought of having some one at their disposal. Thus right early in the year my work began.

The first call had to be denied. This was for the Wilmington District meeting. In spite of faithful efforts on the part of the secretary, much to my regret a satisfactory appointment could not be arranged later.

The Rockingham District was my next appointment. Thither I gladly wended my way, for I was eager to learn for myself whether all the wonderful reports from there were true. Much to my joy, I found that "the half was not told." Too much cannot be said in praise of the people and the splendidly organized work of this district, all of which is due to the fact that the field is in the hands

of a master workman and the people are responsive. An entire month was given to this territory. The district meeting at Hamlet was a little conference in itself.

The Elizabeth City District was not ready for an itinerary, but it was my privilege to be at Hertford for the district meeting and later at Sunbury for the Gates County Missionary Institute. Each of these meetings was an inspiration, and much good has resulted from them.

Then followed the Raleigh and New Bern District meetings, held at Franklinton and Morehead City respectively. Here, as in the meetings previously mentioned, an inspiration was gained and the people went away with a new interest, a new enthusiasm, and a new love for the cause.

May I pause here to add that I believe that the district meeting is one of the most important factors in our work. Let me, therefore, urge that each district secretary make a determined effort to hold at least one such meeting at some time during the year.

Three of the four districts last mentioned, namely, Rockingham, Raleigh, and New Bern, were practically covered by your field secretary in her itinerary, while five districts were entirely untouched. But may we not hope that the work has grown in spite of the failures, if failures we must count them?

Owing to the fact that this was the first year of the united society, in many cases the spirit of union has been slow in its development; but in all cases where the second department has been added without friction, the work has prospered wonderfully, for which we should feel encouraged.

Shall we not, then, put on the whole armor of God and go forward in this new year with a greater determination than ever before to do His will and so help bring about the advancement of His kingdom in all the earth?

Number of towns visited	40
Number of talks made	50
Number of district meetings attended	3
Attended Gates County Institute	-----
Attended Epworth League Conference	-----
Letters and cards written	100
Miles traveled	3,000

As I submit this report, at the same time I tender my resignation as your field secretary. The work has indeed been a great joy to me, and for the opportunities for service which you have given to me through this channel I thank you most heartily. On my part, the service which I have been able to render has been a very small compensation for the interest, love, and prayers which you have so abundantly bestowed upon me. Your fellowship and hospitality will always remain a source of joy and inspiration in my life, and if I am ever able in any way to render you a service I shall be glad to do so.

(MISS) LILLIE DUKE,
Field Secretary.

[No. 11.]

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SUPPLIES, YEAR ENDING JANUARY 1, 1914.

Boxes.	DURHAM DISTRICT.	*Value.*
2	West Durham to Orphanage	$ 22.00
1	Trinity, Durham, to Orphanage	14.50
1	Trinity, Durham, to preacher	26.25
1	Y. W. Durham, to preacher	13.75
5		$ 76.50
	ELIZABETH CITY DISTRICT.	
2	Hertford to Orphanage	$ 25.00
2	Gatesville to Orphanage	22.00
1	Belhaven to Orphanage	14.25
1	First Church, Elizabeth City, to preacher	41.25
1	Young People	41.25
7		$ 143.75
	FAYETTEVILLE DISTRICT.	
2	Carthage to Orphanage	$ 33.75
1	Pittsboro to Orphanage	12.00
1	Hay Street, Fayetteville, to preacher	37.25
1	Belle Bennett to preacher	11.75
5		$ 94.75
	NEW BERN DISTRICT.	
6	Centenary to Orphanage	$ 117.50
1	Centenary to preacher	20.00
4	St. Paul's, Goldsboro, to Orphanage	88.10
1	St. Paul's, Goldsboro, to preacher	63.00
12		$ 288.60
	RALEIGH DISTRICT.	
2	Smithfield to Orphanage	$ 40.00
1	Edenton Street, Raleigh, to Laredo	25.00
1	Edenton Street, Raleigh, to preacher	5.00
4		$ 70.00
	ROCKINGHAM DISTRICT.	
2	Mary Steele, Rockingham, to Orphanage	$ 50.00
1	Mary Steele, Rockingham, to Laredo	10.00
1	Troy, to Laredo	10.00
2	Lumberton, to Orphanage	63.00
2	Ellen Willis, Laurinburg, to Orphanage	29.00
1	Ellen Willis, Laurinburg, to preacher	14.65
1	Hamlet to Orphanage	24.00
1	Roberdell to Orphanage	15.00
2	Fairmont to Orphanage	31.50
13		$ 247.15

WARRENTON DISTRICT.

2	Warrenton to Orphanage	$ 25.00
2	Littleton to Orphanage	28.50
2	Windsor to Orphanage	31.45
2	Weldon to Orphanage	52.00
3	Weldon to preacher	37.50
11		$ 174.45

WASHINGTON DISTRICT.

6	Rocky Mount to Orphanage	$ 104.55
1	Rock Mount to preacher	6.00
4	Wilson to Orphanage	135.00
2	Farmville to Orphanage	34.00
13		$ 279.55

WILMINGTON DISTRICT.

1	Grace Church, Wilmington, to preacher	$ 100.00
2	Girl at Brevard	52.50
3		$ 152.50

Total, 73 boxes; value, $1,580.71.

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. IDA T. WILKINS,
Superintendent of Supplies.

[No. 12.]

REPORT OF PRESS SUPERINTENDENT.

This has been a busy year for your press superintendent, now called Superintendent of Publicity Bureau.

I have sent out the Bulletins regularly every month as promptly as possible. It has cost the Conference $28 to send this literature through the mail. As nearly as I can say, I have sent out about 3,700 Bulletins. I was instructed to send three to each auxiliary, but I have never received enough to supply that number.

I have "done my best" to put before the women the fresh news of the Bulletin every month. I have sent it directly to the auxiliaries, and for fear all members might not have been present at the monthly meeting, I have given much of the Bulletin news to our Woman's Page in the *Advocate*.

I do feel that the information we get from this little monthly Bulletin of our work is very valuable, though many of our women never see it.

I have had only a very unsatisfactory mailing list. I have felt all through the year that there were many auxiliaries that I did not reach, as the name of neither president nor press superintendent was furnished me. It has been hard to get a full list of auxiliaries, and I feel that perhaps many do not hear from our work in our mission fields because of this fact. I hope every woman here will see to it that the name of her auxiliary president and press superintendent be sent in to the publicity superintendent just as soon as she gets home.

I have asked the district secretaries to send me the names of the officers of the auxiliaries of their districts, and I have heard from only a few.

My dear auxiliary president, you would help us all, as we try to carry on our Conference work, if you would send the names of your officers to your district secretaries as soon as they are elected. Please bear this in mind!

And delegates, will you impress it on your president to call for these Bulletins *every month?* These little papers cost money to print them, time to compile them, and a great deal of trouble to fold and send out over 500 every month. I scarcely ever sleep before 2 a. m. the nights I get them ready for the mail, and these Bulletins have cost our Conference this year $25.05 in postage alone. Do not throw them away before gleaning from them the good therein contained—the information you should have.

Take this message home to your auxiliary and elect a press superintendent who will keep this little paper before you with its missionary message from Home and Foreign fields.

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. E. C. DUNCAN.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

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[No. 1.]

FINANCE.

Your Committee on Finance recommend the following:

1. That each Auxiliary treasurer do all in her power to have dues and pledges paid in full and sent in on time each quarter.

2. That each member of every auxiliary of both Foreign and Home Departments pay 50 cents into the Conference expense fund during the first quarter.

3. That the Young People of both departments pay 25 cents combined, the sum to be divided equally into the Conference expense fund.

4. That every member of each auxiliary pay 5 cents during the first quarter for the retirement fund.

5. That the expense of Conference officers be paid from the Conference expense fund.

6. That all bills for printing minutes, and such blanks, postals, and circular-letters as advance our work be paid from the treasury.

7. That whereas our corresponding secretaries are members of the Mission Council, we authorize our treasurer to pay all necessary expenses incurred by attendance upon the annual meeting of said Council, and also to supply said secretaries with sufficient funds to cover all office expenses.

8. That the treasurer of each local Auxiliary shall send all money and reports to district secretary of her district, and the money and report of Young People be sent to second vice president of Conference; and Bright Jewels, all money and reports to first vice president, by the first day of the month each quarter.

9. That each district secretary of the Conference, first and second vice presidents, shall send money and report to Conference treasurer by the 10th of the month of each quarter.

10. That the pledge of $12,000 for the Foreign Department, for the support of missionaries, including the support of our own four Conference daughters, be paid in full, and the pledge of $3,000 in the Home Department be paid.

11. That the Scarritt Endowment Fund still receive $2 from each auxiliary, this making $1 each from both departments.

Respectfully submitted,

Mrs. B. B. Adams, *Chairman.*
Mrs. N. E. Edgerton, *Secretary.*

[No. 2.]

YOUNG PEOPLE'S WORK.

We the Committee on Young People's Work, realizing the importance of educating the young people along missionary lines, recommend:

1. That in every church where there are as many as six young people, the second vice president of the adult auxiliary make an earnest effort to organize a Young People's Auxiliary.

2. That wherever possible, a mission study class or reading circle be organized.

3. That emphasis be given to Bible study in the regular monthly meeting.

4. That with the view of reaching and interesting other young people, public and social meetings be held occasionally, and the special work being done by the Young People explained.

5. That an effort be made to secure subscribers for *The Missionary Voice*, as this is a most essential guide in carrying on our work.

6. That Good Friday be observed as a special day of prayer for the Student Volunteer Movement.

7. That each Young People's Society be urged to take one or more shares in the pledge of $20,000 to go to the support of Laredo Seminary and McTyiere School.

Respectfully submitted,

MISS LILLIE DUKE, *Chairman;*
MISS MARGARET HIX,
MISS HELEN WHITE,
MRS. H. J. BONEY,
For the Committee.

[No. 3.]

CHILDREN'S WORK.

Realizing the importance of the children's work, we recommend:

1. That every church in our Conference try to organize a Junior and Baby Division.

2. That they be organized according to plans given by the Council.

3. That a strong effort be made to put *The Young Christian Worker* into every home.

4. That the children be not required to pay a Conference expense fund, but that the first vice president be allowed to use as much of the unappropriated special as may be required to meet the expense of her office.

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. N. H. D. WILSON,
MRS. E. S. DAIL,
MRS. B. E. STANFIELD,
MRS. D. W. HARRIS,
MRS. S. I. HARRELL,
For the Committee.

[No. 4.]

MISSION STUDY.

The Committee on Mission Study and Christian Stewardship, realizing the importance of mission study, in that "knowledge is power," and believing Christian stewardship to be the underlying principle of all true service, wish to submit the following recommendations:

1. That in every auxiliary extreme care be taken in the selection of a third vice president.

2. That a Mission Study Class be organized in each Adult and Young People's Auxiliary and an effort be made to enlist every woman in the church in mission study.

3. That study classes be organized in all junior divisions.

4. That missionary libraries be established in auxiliaries wherever possible.

5. That district secretaries coöperate with the Conference third vice president in formulating some plan for the establishment of district circulating libraries.

6. That the subject of Christian stewardship be presented in each auxiliary at least once a quarter.

7. That each pastor be asked to preach on Christian stewardship as early as possible in the year.

8. That systematic Bible study be urged by every third vice president.

9. That an effort be made to place *The Missionary Voice*, *The Young Christian Worker*, and *The Missionary Prayer Calendar* in every home.

10. That the first auxiliary meeting after the publication of the Conference Minutes be devoted to a study of the same.

Respectfully submitted,

SALLIE LOU MCKINNON, *Chairman.*
MRS. P. G. ALSTON, *Secretary.*

[No. 5.]

DISTRICT SECRETARIES' BOOKS.

Your committee have examined the district secretaries' books, and find most of them correctly and neatly kept. Special mention is due Mrs. Mann and Mrs. McKinne, as their books are especially neat.

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. W. H. TRUMAN,
MRS. R. H. WHITAKER,
MRS. E. L. HART,
Committee.

[No. 6.]

EXTENSION OF WORK.

1. Whereas we are fully conscious of the need of consecrated workers to fill the depleting ranks of our societies, and coveting for the Master's use the best talent and consecration the Church can furnish, and realizing that this must be furnished from the army of young people, we do urge upon the district secretaries, presidents, and first and second vice presidents of auxiliaries that they be prayerfully diligent in organizing our young people into missionary societies. These societies are to be both social and missionary in their nature.

2. We recommend that each society be requested to organize a "Study Circle," reporting same to the third vice president of the Conference.

3. We again recommend that each district secretary shall pledge an earnest effort to hold an annual meeting in the district, at which time she shall urge the great importance of organizing new auxiliaries, doing all in her power to develop the district.

4. Whereas there is an urgent call for recruits in the mission fields and an alarming scarcity of missionary volunteers in the ranks of our Church, we recommend the first and second vice presidents be urged to place especial stress on the need of giving, not only time and money, but giving one's life for definite service.

5. We recommend that the Conference officers and each auxiliary president make every effort to have the Week of Prayer observed.

6. We continue to recommend the soliciting of honorary members, whose dues shall be $1 per year, paid in advance.

7. For the purpose of securing accuracy, we recommend that the executive committee of each auxiliary hold a meeting immediately before sending the quarterly reports.

We also recommend that the spirit of union be encouraged in all our auxiliaries.

MRS. R. B. JOHN, *Chairman;*
MRS. W. T. BAUGHAM,
MRS. W. F. MURPHY,
MRS. J. N. WINSLOW,
MRS. F. B. MCKINNE,
MRS. H. J. FAISON,
MRS. B. N. MANN.

[No. 7.]

PUBLICITY.

We are conscious of the great benefit of the press to our missionary work, and, feeling the need of greater care and more systematic effort along this line, we recommend:

1. That each auxiliary elect a publicity superintendent, whose business it shall be to present the Monthly Bulletin to the auxiliary in the most helpful way possible.

2. That this superintendent shall give to the secular press missionary notes of interest, thus giving the public the benefit of the latest news from our mission fields.

3. That the publicity superintendent be urged to strive to fill out the quarterly report blanks and return promptly to the Conference publicity superintendent.

4. That the auxiliary publicity superintendent seek interesting bits of missionary news for the Woman's Page in *The Raleigh Christian Advocate*, and in turn present the news to be found on our Woman's Page to her auxiliary.

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. Z. V. SNIPES,
MISS BETTIE LEE SANDERS,
MRS. E. C. DUNCAN,
Chairman.

[No. 8.]

SOCIAL SERVICE.

We recommend:

1. That all auxiliaries elect a fourth vice president.

2. That the fourth vice president make a careful study of her department as outlined in the constitution and missionary helps.

3. That the work of the Federal Council of the Churches of Christ in America be discussed and that such features of that work as have local application be carefully studied and developed.

4. That the local subcommittee spare no effort to make the parsonage a model home, and that the use of the parsonage as a pastoral and social center for the life of the church be given thoughtful attention.

5. That the fourth vice president present to the auxiliary the studies sent out by the Council, so that the committee may be able

to make a survey of the field and thus get a knowledge of conditions that demand attention and assistance.

6. That the auxiliary fourth vice president give good heed to the regulation that she is to send accurate reports to the Conference fourth vice president promptly.

7. That the auxiliary fourth vice president send her name and address immediately after her election, to the Conference fourth vice president and to the corresponding secretaries.

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. W. H. SPEIGHT,
MRS. S. T. HARRELL,
MRS. R. O. BURTON,
For the Committee.

RESOLUTIONS

[No. 1.]

Whereas, Mrs. F. D. Swindell is one of the charter members of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society, and has been a valuable officer the entire time, and for twenty years has served as Conference corresponding secretary: Be it

Resolved, That in her resignation we are losing one of the strongest of our executive laborers. Good training and long service have given a finish to a heart and intellect richly endowed by nature, which she delighted to use in the cause of missions. She has never failed to heed the call of duty, nor hesitated to assume its responsibilities; and she has discharged them with a firmness of convictions of right which many lack the courage to manifest.

Those of us who have worked by her side through the years, feel that in offering this testimony to her valuable services we are paying but a feeble tribute to the great worth of a coworker whose familiar face was sure to greet us at our annual meetings, and whose presence was always a benediction to us.

Mrs. B. B. Adams,
Mrs. M. Bradshaw,
Mrs. F. B. McKinne,
Mrs. R. A. Willis.

[No. 2.]

Whereas Memorial Church and the city of Durham have given the Conference most excellent and gracious entertainment: Therefore, be it *Resolved:*

1. That we hereby express our profound appreciation of the hospitality of the Durham people, and tender them our heartfelt thanks for their manifold kindnesses, and we pray that they may be the recipients of all good things.

2. That we are especially grateful to the faculty and students of Trinity College for the reception and entertainment tendered the Conference Saturday afternoon in the east wing of the Duke building.

Signed: Mrs. Edgar Hart,
Mrs. S. R. Alley,
Mrs. Kerr Taylor,
Miss Vara Herring,
Miss Fannie Louise Neal.

STATISTICS

STATISTICAL REPORT OF BRIGHT JEWELS.

	Baby Division.					Junior Division.							
	Number Members.	Amount of Enrollment Fees.	Amount from Mite Boxes.	Home Mission Specials.	Foreign Mission Specials.	Number Members.	Amount of Membership Fees.	Amount from Mite Boxes.	Home Mission Specials.	Foreign Mission Specials.	Other Purposes.	Total Amount Raised.	Subscribers to Young Christian Worker.
DURHAM DISTRICT:													
Chapel Hill	10	$	$	$	$	26	$ 6.51	$ 10.00	$	$	$	$ 16.51	
Leasburg						32	8.90	10.00		8.80		27.70	1
Memorial	23	1.00	.96			90	43.83	133.92	1.54	2.31	40.00	223.56	9
Roxboro	21	1.00	1.04	.80	1.20	26	12.85	15.15	5.64	8.15		45.83	
Trinity	2	.50				82	13.65	36.23				50.38	15
West Durham	6	1.50										1.50	
Yanceyville						20	7.75		1.00	4.00		12.75	2
Totals	60	4.00	2.00	.80	1.20	276	93.49	205.30	8.18	23.26	40.00	378.23	27
ELIZABETH CITY DISTRICT:													
Anderson						30	17.25	16.50				33.75	17
Belhaven	4	.75				35	7.00	.15				7.90	
City Road						50	23.00	18.60	7.21			48.81	6
First Church	19	.75	1.21			68	3.25	3.56				8.77	
Gatesville	5	.25	1.10	.25	.25	17		4.86	1.52	2.29		10.52	10
Hertford						57	26.90	24.90	2.80	4.20		58.80	

STATISTICAL REPORT OF BRIGHT JEWELS—Continued.

	Baby Division.					Junior Division.							
	Number Members.	Amount of Enrollment Fees.	Amount from Mite Boxes.	Home Mission Specials.	Foreign Mission Specials.	Number Members.	Amount of Membership Fees.	Amount from Mite Boxes.	Home Mission Specials.	Foreign Mission Specials.	Other Purposes.	Total Amount Raised.	Subscribers to Young Christian Worker.
ELIZABETH CITY DISTRICT—*Continued.*													
Kittrell	3	$	$	$ .40	$ .40	14	$	$	$ .40	$ .40	$	$ 1.60	24
Manteo	2		.57			20	2.58	6.56				9.71	
Pantego						15	8.80	23.35		10.00		42.15	5
Parkers						32	5.45	9.00				14.45	2
Philadelphia	11	.75	4.86			20	.30	14.62				20.53	
Roper						38	6.08		1.95	2.41		10.44	12
Savage	3		.30			8		1.60				1.90	
Wanchese						60	28.05	29.04	8.00		7.35	72.44	
Totals	47	2.50	8.04	.65	.65	462	128.66	152.74	21.88	19.30	7.35	341.77	82
FAYETTEVILLE DISTRICT:													
Camp Ground						39	5.68	10.76				16.44	6
Carthage	5	1.25				20	6.15	2.70	.70	6.20		17.00	
Dunn	23	.75	.21			33	6.66	17.79				25.41	
Hay Street						40	12.55	3.30	10.00	17.60		43.45	2
Roseboro						30	5.30	1.59				6.89	10
Totals	28	2.00	.21			162	36.34	36.14	10.70	23.80		109.19	18

NEW BERN DISTRICT:													
Centenary			4.25			62	25.90	30.00		25.00		85.15	
Elm Street						57	12.50	10.19				22.69	
Faison						20	13.01	2.50				15.51	
Hookerton	6	.75	2.25			10	7.54	3.75				14.29	13
Kinston						34	2.10			1.00	.15	3.25	
Morehead City						31	3.22	18.10				21.32	4
Ocracoke						25	8.85	.25	1.50	1.50		12.10	12
Pollocksville	5					20	3.60	5.94				9.54	
St. Paul	6	.25				50	8.04	43.04		6.05		57.38	3
Trenton						10	1.00	10.00				11.00	
Totals	17	1.00	6.50			319	85.76	123.77	1.50	33.55	.15	252.23	32
RALEIGH DISTRICT:													
Banks						25	7.73	32.42				40.15	8
Benson						25	3.50			1.15		4.65	
Cary	22	4.96	1.79	.20		30	11.90	.80		1.50	30.75	51.90	11
Edenton Street	45	.50				65	10.80	10.00			.20	21.50	2
Epworth						47	7.70	11.75				19.45	
Four Oaks						20	8.95	12.00				20.95	6
Franklinton	45	7.50	8.60			34	21.35	62.25				99.70	15
Kenly	15	1.50	.06			13	.50	1.00				3.06	25
Louisburg						36	20.95	45.65	4.40	6.80	2.20	80.00	16
Oxford						33	19.45	30.00				49.45	
Plank Chapel						10	5.30	10.00				15.30	3
Salem						8	4.80	2.50			.15	7.45	2
Selma	2	.50	2.18	.75		25	1.30	6.84	.84	.86		13.27	2
Smithfield						31	4.85					4.85	4
Totals	129	14.96	12.63	.95		402	129.08	225.21	5.24	10.51	33.30	431.68	94

STATISTICAL REPORT OF BRIGHT JEWELS—Continued.

	Baby Division.					Junior Division.							
	Number Members.	Amount of Enrollment Fees.	Amount of Mite Boxes.	Home Mission Specials.	Foreign Mission Specials.	Number Members.	Amount of Membership Fees.	Amount from Mite Boxes.	Home Mission Specials.	Foreign Mission Specials.	Other Purposes.	Total Amount Raised.	Subscribers to Young Christian Worker.
ROCKINGHAM DISTRICT:													
Aberdeen		$	$	$	$	20	$ 12.55	$	$	$	$	$ 12.55	
Biscoe						26	17.03	60.52				77.55	10
East Laurinburg						15	7.59	2.30				9.89	
Fairmont	4		2.50			45	8.92	14.57				25.99	
Gibson	2	.50				24	2.60	12.00				15.10	3
Hamlet	20	5.00				70	37.20	27.00	9.64	14.45	5.00	98.29	6
Laurinburg						63	23.57	83.82				107.39	
Leware	8	.25	.92	.50	.49	5	.30	2.58	1.08	1.08		7.20	
Lumberton	20	5.00				39	12.90	25.00				42.90	4
Maxton	13	3.50		1.08	1.62	58	18.11	7.00	15.72	23.58		70.61	4
Mount Gilead						63	21.13	.24				45.13	23
Pee Dee						36	16.00		3.00			19.00	12
Raeford						24	12.70	16.86				29.56	
Red Springs						27	7.55			8.84		16.39	9
Roberdell, No. 1						21	3.80	7.70	3.50	3.16	.75	18.91	3
Roberdell, No. 2						36	1.42		2.00			3.42	5
Rockingham	2	.25				13	1.35	4.00				5.60	
St. Paul		.75				20	.85	1.63				3.23	
Troy						24	10.80	.50		7.65		18.95	4
Zion						20	5.40					5.40	
From District Secretary										5.50			
Totals	69	15.25	3.42	1.58	2.11	649	221.77	289.48	34.94	64.26	5.75	638.06	83

WARRENTON DISTRICT:													
Ahoskie	5					15	1.00	1.10				2.10	1
Colerain						17	5.14			8.51		13.65	4
Garysburg						48	31.25			14.55		45.80	5
Henderson						35	6.25	24.50		10.00		40.75	13
Littleton	17	1.75	6.60			41	18.36	15.64	.40	6.33		49.08	8
Macon						20	8.50	6.26		12.50		27.26	
Murfreesboro						49	10.97	16.45		6.99		34.41	
Roxobel						20	7.39					7.39	
Warrenton	12	.50	7.12			35	12.25	19.15		2.10		41.12	
Weldon	30	1.75	17.75			65	38.97	40.86		10.26		109.59	5
Windsor	13	1.50	3.16	2.00		29	4.00	8.84	5.75	3.50		28.75	2
Winton	9	.75		2.35		13	3.14	5.60	4.38			16.22	3
Jackson						20	11.15	16.70		10.00		37.85	
Calvary	1	.25										.25	
Roanoke Rapids								1.07				1.07	
Totals	87	6.50	34.63	4.35		407	158.37	156.17	10.53	84.74		455.29	41
WASHINGTON DISTRICT:													
Elm City						30	13.00	17.00				30.00	4
Fremont						21	.67	1.22				1.89	1
Nashville						25	6.39	4.61				11.00	9
Rocky Mount	33	8.25	18.00			52	21.05	37.00				84.30	
Spring Hope	6	.25	3.25			8	2.95	6.42	3.01			15.88	2
Swan Quarter	3	.50	.85			30	1.75	13.18				16.28	1
Tarboro						20	12.00					12.00	
Washington						14	6.95	1.10				8.05	
Wilson						40	25.41	7.50				42.91	
Totals	42	9.00	22.10			248	90.17	98.03	3.01			222.31	17

STATISTICAL REPORT OF BRIGHT JEWELS—Continued.

	Baby Division.					Junior Division.							
	Number Members.	Amount of Enrollment Fees.	Amount from Mite Boxes.	Home Mission Specials.	Foreign Mission Specials.	Number Members.	Amount of Membership Fees.	Amount from Mite Boxes.	Home Mission Specials.	Foreign Mission Specials.	Other Purposes.	Total Amount Raised.	Subscribers to Young Christian Worker.
WILMINGTON DISTRICT:													
Burgaw		$	$	$	$	12	$ 2.00	$	$	$ .50	$	$ 2.50	3
Clinton						40	10.05					10.05	
Council	1	.25	1.31			18	.20	17.90				19.66	3
Grace	32	2.25	9.99			62	32.35	71.12				115.71	27
Ingold	5					9	4.50					4.50	6
Maysville						25	.55			2.45	.85	3.85	
Rose Hill						20	12.66	3.36		2.25		18.27	
Southport						20	2.00	2.00				4.00	
Wallace						37	11.31	20.30				32.61	
Whiteville	11	2.75	1.82			28	9.60	9.07				23.24	
Tabor						28	6.80	.25				7.05	
Totals	49	5.25	13.12			299	92.02	124.00		5.20	.85	241.44	39

SUMMARY.

	Baby Division.							Junior Division.							
	Baby Division.	Junior Division.	Number Members.	Amount of Enrollment Fees.	Amount of Mite Boxes.	Home Mission Specials.	Foreign Mission Specials.	Number Members.	Amount of Membership Fees.	Amount from Mite Boxes.	Home Mission Specials.	Foreign Mission Specials.	Other Purposes.	Total Amount Raised.	Subscribers to Young Christian Worker.
Durham District	5	6	60	$ 4.00	$ 2.00	$ .80	$ 1.20	276	$ 93.49	$ 205.30	$ 8.18	$23.26	$40.00	$ 378.23	27
Elizabeth City District	7	14	47	2.50	8.04	.65	.65	462	128.66	152.74	21.88	19.30	7.35	341.77	82
Fayetteville District	2	5	28	2.00	.21	.....	.....	162	36.34	36.14	10.70	23.80	.....	109.19	18
New Bern District	6	10	17	1.00	6.50	.....	.....	319	85.76	123.77	1.50	33.55	.15	252.23	32
Raleigh District	5	14	129	14.96	12.63	.95	.....	402	129.08	225.21	5.24	10.31	33.30	431.68	94
Rockingham District	7	20	69	15.25	3.42	1.58	2.11	649	221.77	289.48	34.94	64.26	5.75	638.56	83
Warrenton District	7	13	87	6.50	34.63	4.35	.....	407	158.37	156.17	10.53	84.74	.....	455.29	41
Washington District	3	9	42	9.00	22.10	.....	.....	248	90.17	98.03	3.01	.....	.....	222.31	17
Wilmington District	4	11	49	5.25	13.12	.....	.....	299	92.02	124.00	.....	5.20	.85	240.44	39
Totals	46	102	530	60.46	102.65	8.33	3.96	3,224	1,035.66	1,410.84	95.98	264.42	87.40	3,069.70	433

Other Purposes includes: Elizabeth Stagg Scholarship, Memorial, $40.00; Bible Woman, Cary, $30.75; Conference Expense (Wanchese, $7.35; Louisburg, $2.20; Edenton Street, $0.20; Kinston, $0.10), $9.85; Memorial Roll (Hamlet, $5.00; Roberdell, No. 1, $0.75; Maysville, $0.85), $6.60; Candidate Fund, Kinston, $0.05. A few bands reported their local work, but as so few did this, it seemed best not to include any in the report.

YOUNG PEOPLE'S WORK, 1913.

	Dues.		Pledge.		Conference Fee.		Retirement and Relief.		Scarritt Bible and Training School.		Scholarship.		Mary Pescud.		Totals.		Total Home and Foreign.
	Home.	Foreign.	Home.	Foreign.	Home.	Foreign.	Home.	Foreign.	Home.	Foreign.	Home.	Foreign.	Home.	Foreign.	Home.	Foreign.	
DURHAM DISTRICT:																	
Memorial	$ 8.12	$ 7.73	$ 9.25	$ 9.25	$ .60	$ .60	$.25	$.30	$	$	$	$	$	$	$18.22	$17.88	$ 36.10
ELIZABETH CITY DISTRICT:																	
Hertford		33.80		66.75		5.55		1.25								107.35	107.35
Kittrell	4.35	2.65	5.00	5.00	.25	.25			1.00	1.00					10.60	8.90	19.50
Elizabeth City Auxiliary	.70	.70													.70	.70	1.40
RALEIGH DISTRICT:																	
Franklinton		21.20		65.00		4.00		.90		2.00		40.00		2.00		135.10	135.10
Oxford		23.20		60.00		5.75		1.05		2.00						92.00	92.00
Franklinton, No. 2		7.85		25.47		.20		.20				40.00				73.72	73.72
Louisburg		14.95		18.20		3.20		.45								36.80	36.80
Planks Chapel	4.10	6.10					.87	.88	1.00	1.00					5.97	7.98	13.95
Edenton Street	.60	2.15													.60	2.15	2.75
Selma	1.30	1.30													1.30	1.30	2.60
NEW BERN DISTRICT:																	
St. Pauls	19.10	19.10	37.47	37.53	2.65	2.70	1.45	1.45	1.00	1.00		40.00	*2.00	*2.00	63.67	103.78	167.45
Mount Olive	1.77	6.23		9.41				.10		1.60					1.77	17.34	19.11
Kinston	1.64	2.71	4.00	6.00											5.64	8.71	14.35
Ocracoke	1.17	1.18	2.12	2.13											3.29	3.31	6.60
Faison	.57	.58	.84	1.26											1.41	1.84	3.25
ROCKINGHAM DISTRICT:																	
Biscoe	19.50	19.50			4.25	4.25	.85	.85	1.00	1.00		130.00			77.88	222.88	†300.76
Mary Steele	17.62	17.63	20.00		2.87	2.88	1.20	1.20	1.00	1.00		60.00			76.54	82.71	‡159.25

Laurinburg	15.98	28.07		245.00	5.00		1.00		1.00	1.00					22.98	274.07	297.05
Maxton	11.75	11.80	22.15	62.10	2.75	.50	.40	.20							37.05	74.60	111.65
Lillie Duke	5.03	5.07	9.70	14.55			.65	.75							15.38	20.37	35.75
East Laurinburg	6.45	7.99													6.45	7.99	14.44
Lawarae	8.70				.75		.25						*1.83		11.53		11.53
Aberdeen		1.25														1.25	1.25
Lumberton		18.60		37.51												56.11	56.11
Red Springs		4.80		10.00												14.80	14.80
Roberdell	12.36	.95	7.63												19.99	.95	20.94
Pee Dee	10.10								2.00				*3.30		15.40		15.40
Fairmont	7.74	4.76	13.50	11.50											21.24	16.26	37.50
Troy	.80	.80		4.00	.50	.50									1.30	5.30	6.60
Mount Gilead	4.00	4.00													4.00	4.00	8.00
Zion	2.88	3.22													2.88	3.22	6.10
WARRENTON DISTRICT:																	
Littleton	10.70	35.75	4.35	42.25	.25	.25									15.30	78.25	93.55
Littleton College		10.60		20.00								40.00				70.60	70.60
Windsor	2.30														2.30		2.30
WASHINGTON DISTRICT:																	
Rocky Mount	7.77	7.78	16.00	16.00	1.75	1.75	.90	.80							26.42	26.33	52.75
WILMINGTON DISTRICT:																	
Grace Church	10.56	10.59	25.67	35.18	.20	.20									36.43	45.97	82.40
Rose Hill	4.25	4.25	.25	.25											4.50	4.50	9.00
Fifth Street Church		6.15		11.40		1.75										19.30	19.30
Jacksonville	1.78	1.78													1.78	1.78	3.56
Wallace		2.85														2.85	2.85

*Week of Prayer. †Includes Laredo, home, $42.28; McTyiere, foreign, $42.28; Sue Bennett, home, $10.00; District Missionary, foreign, $25.00.
‡Includes Laredo, home, $20.00; Week of Prayer, home, $13.85.

DISTRICT SECRETARIES' REPORTS

DURHAM DISTRICT.

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

Number of Auxiliaries, 12; Number of Members, 391.

	Members.	"Missionary Voice."	Mission Study.	Retirement Fund.	Relief Fund.	Conference. Expense Fund.	Week of Prayer.	Scarritt Bible and Training School.	Local Work.	Specials.	Dues.	Pledge.	Total.
Trinity	34	24	*15	$	$	$ 8.00	$	$ 1.00	$	$	$44.20	$350.95	$ 404.15
Memorial	85	34	64	2.60		12.95					69.00	281.98	366.53
Branson	18	8				.75					9.00	6.00	15.75
West Durham	33	14		.30		.25				.96	10.60	25.10	37.21
Burlington	30	12		1.00		4.00					24.15	69.25	98.40
Trinity, Young Woman's	48	15								†75.00			75.00
Chapel Hill	22			.60		3.50					19.30	22.10	45.50
Roxboro	64	25		2.00		5.50		2.00			65.00	200.00	274.50
Brooksdale	10	6				1.55				25.00	13.15	19.00	58.70
Leasburg	17	9				2.15		1.25			19.80	25.00	48.20
Roxboro, Young People	20	14									13.30	28.77	42.07
Yanceyville	10	6					9.25				4.95		14.20
Totals	391	167	64	6.50		38.65	9.25	4.25		100.96	292.45	1,028.15	1,480.21

School for Korean widows, Mrs. J. E. Stagg	$ 750.00
To balance brought forward from 1912*	698.84
Total	2,929.05
Bright Jewels	$ 378.23
Young People	17.88

HOME DEPARTMENT.

Number of Auxiliaries, 7; Number of Members, 256.

	Members.	"Missionary Voice."	Mission Study.	Retirement Fund.	Relief Fund.	Conference Expense Fund.	Week of Prayer.	Scarritt Bible and Training School.	Local Work.	Specials.	Dues.	Pledge.	Total.
Trinity	32	24		$	$ 1.50	$ 4.05	$	$	$91.85	$	$28.90	$32.05	$ 71.10
Memorial	85	34			1.50	9.75	6.10		210.26		54.70	92.57	164.62
Branson	18	8				1.00			12.00		8.10	6.05	15.15
West Durham	33	14			.20	.75	8.00		24.20		5.45	25.00	57.95
Burlington	30	12				.40			50.00		5.90		6.30
Trinity, Young Woman's	48	15	14			4.80		‡17.50	35.35	=2.00	49.80	50.00	101.60
Yanceyville	10	6									8.25		
Totals	256	113	14		3.20	20.70	14.10	17.50	423.66	2.00	161.10	205.67	419.72
Total local													423.66
Grand total													843.38
Young People													18.22

*Fourth quarter, 1912. †Mrs. A. P. Parker's School. ‡Supplies. =Conference Expense Fund, spent at home.

Mrs. B. N. Mann, *District Secretary.*

ELIZABETH CITY DISTRICT.

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

	Dues.	Scarritt Bible and Training School.	Conference Expense Fund.	Relief Fund.	Pledge.	Thank Offering.	Blanche Fentress.	Rio Girls' School.	Memorial.	Specials.	Total.
Andersons	$ 17.50	$ 1.95	$ 3.75	$ .75	$ 29.95	$	$	$	$	$	$ 53.90
Manteo	16.10		3.25	.70	14.25	5.00	1.00				40.30
Wanchese-Bethany	39.45	2.00	7.50	1.80	46.29		2.70	1.68			101.42
Gatesville	21.85	1.00	2.50	.45	64.05	6.60			1.50		97.95
Parkers, Corapeake	17.50		.90								18.40
Hertford	31.16	2.00	6.00	.75	108.59					.20	148.70
Zion	9.20		3.35		18.10						30.65
Kittrell	21.30		2.50		15.00	2.00					40.80
Edenton	4.40	1.00	1.50	.55	2.00						9.45
Pantego	13.70			.10	20.00						33.80
Philadelphia	27.00	1.00	2.20	.90	22.00	5.50					58.60
First Church, Elizabeth City	41.75	1.15	7.75	2.06	151.90		2.60				207.21
Elizabeth City, Young Woman's	8.90	1.00	.75	.45	5.00						16.10
Totals	269.81	11.10	41.95	8.51	497.13	19.10	6.30	1.68	1.50	.20	857.28

Gates County Institute, for Margaret Brown Gates scholarship, Brazil, $40.00.

HOME DEPARTMENT.

	Dues.	Conference Expense Fund.	Relief Fund.	Scarritt Bible and Training School.	Week of Prayer.	Pledge.	Deaconess Scholarship.	Specials.	Totals.
City Road	$ 18.70	$ 2.50	$	$	$ 2.10	$ 10.00	$	$	$ 33.30
First Church, Elizabeth City	42.95	8.70	1.20			62.00	4.50		119.35
Belhaven	34.05				3.30				37.35
Hertford	29.45	5.50				68.20			103.15
Gatesville	22.30	3.00	.65	1.30	6.85	22.00			56.10
Kittrell	18.35	1.50		2.00		12.00	*.37 †.47	.90	35.59
Zion	9.30	.15	.90			8.00			18.35
Newland	23.13				8.50			1.60	33.23
McBride	18.32								18.32
Edenton	18.25	6.00	.75	1.00	5.58	19.50			51.08
New Hope	15.00								15.00
Young Woman's, Elizabeth City	48.25	6.00	1.30	2.00	5.00	22.25			84.80
Philadelphia	25.00	1.50	.60	1.00	5.25	18.00			51.35
Parkers	21.00	.90				14.75			36.65
Wanchese	31.85	2.10			6.30	7.50			47.75
Manteo	22.50	2.50	.40			5.00			30.40
Savage	10.55				1.00				11.55
Chowan	15.10						‡1.10		16.20
Total									799.52

ELIZABETH CITY DISTRICT—Continued.

LOCAL WORK.

	Locally.	Assistance to Needy.	Box.	Conference Expense Fund Expended by Auxiliary.	Parsonage.	Church.	Specials.	Total.
City Road	$ 18.75	$ 30.25	$	$	$	$	$	$ 49.00
First Church, Elizabeth City	82.25		42.00	.80				125.05
Belhaven	51.45	8.45	14.25		71.32	136.48		281.95
Hertford		6.39			51.78		15.55	73.72
Gatesville		20.00	§22.00		2.40	209.78	10.55	264.73
Savage	37.30	23.00			6.00		2.00	68.30
Manteo	9.90	9.00	§39.27		73.70	1,318.07		1,449.94
Wanchese	11.09	22.98			41.80			75.87
Parkers	25.00				15.00	368.00		408.00
Philadelphia	7.01							7.01
New Hope					50.00	70.00		120.00
Elizabeth City, Young Woman's	96.75	2.00	52.85	4.35				155.95
Edenton		1.00	120.00		102.00	21.75		244.75
Zion	2.00				8.88			10.88
Total								3,335.15
								799.52
Grand total								4,134.67

*Florine McEachern mite box. †Baby mite box. ‡Junior division. §Two boxes.

MRS. J. N. WINSLOW, *District Secretary.*

FAYETTEVILLE DISTRICT.

HOME MISSION DEPARTMENT.

	Carthage.				Dunn.				Bynum.				Belle Bennett.				Bethel.			
	First Quarter.	Second Quarter.	Third Quarter.	Fourth Quarter.	First Quarter.	Second Quarter.	Third Quarter.	Fourth Quarter.	First Quarter.	Second Quarter.	Third Quarter.	Fourth Quarter.	First Quarter.	Second Quarter.	Third Quarter.	Fourth Quarter.	First Quarter.	Second Quarter.	Third Quarter.	Fourth Quarter.
Membership dues (adults)	$19.25	$9.25	$8.45	$6.25	$11.00	$5.95	$5.80	$19.85	$5.95	$5.90	$5.00	$4.35	$7.00	$5.00	$2.40	$5.05	$2.93	$2.10	$1.90	$2.25
Membership dues (Y. P.)																				
Junior Division																				
Baby Division																				
Honorary life membership																				
Week of Prayer				10.60				6.85												
Adult mite boxes																				
Florine McEachern mite boxes																				
Baby mite boxes																10.00				
Conference pledge	3.50	3.90	1.80	3.30		19.00	8.00	64.80						5.00		40.00	1.50	1.50		1.25
Deaconess scholarship																				
Educational Endow. Fund																				
City Mission Endow. Fund																				
Deaconess Relief Fund						.35	.40	1.80												
Conference Expense Fund	.95	.15	.30		1.00	1.50	1.75	4.50				.20	.25	1.00		.50				
Specials																				
Scarritt School	.25	.65	.20	.25		.30	.30													
Total sent Conf. Treas.	23.95	13.95	10.75	20.40	12.00	27.10	16.30	97.80	5.95	5.90	5.00	4.55	7.25	11.00	2.40	55.55	4.43	3.60	1.90	3.50

FAYETTEVILLE DISTRICT—Continued.

HOME MISSION DEPARTMENT.

	Carthage.				Dunn.				Bynum.				Belle Bennett.				Bethel.			
	First Quarter.	Second Quarter.	Third Quarter.	Fourth Quarter.	First Quarter.	Second Quarter.	Third Quarter.	Fourth Quarter.	First Quarter.	Second Quarter.	Third Quarter.	Fourth Quarter.	First Quarter.	Second Quarter.	Third Quarter.	Fourth Quarter.	First Quarter.	Second Quarter.	Third Quarter.	Fourth Quarter.
Value supplies sent off	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$
Value supplies locally	10.00	14.00	10.00	25.50																
Assistance of needy	8.30	4.90	15.00	17.00				1.35												
Expended on parsonage				16.35		101.56		15.78												
Expended on church				132.00																
Conference expense	.90															.25				
Specials		60.00				3.60		7.50								10.10				
Total local work	19.20	78.90	25.00	191.25		105.16		24.63								10.35				

HOME MISSION DEPARTMENT.

	McGee's.				Pittsboro.				Duke.				Newton Grove.				Jonesboro.				Hay St.
	First Quarter.	Second Quarter.	Third Quarter.	Fourth Quarter.	First Quarter.	Second Quarter.	Third Quarter.	Fourth Quarter.	First Quarter.	Second Quarter.	Third Quarter.	Fourth Quarter.	First Quarter.	Second Quarter.	Third Quarter.	Fourth Quarter.	First Quarter.	Second Quarter.	Third Quarter.	Fourth Quarter.	Fourth Quarter.
Membership dues (adults)	$8.35	$6.25	$6.35	$5.35	$----	$----	$2.85	$1.75	$----	$----	$----	$3.90	$1.50	$1.40	$1.00	$----	$4.35	$3.75	$4.00	$----	$3.50
Membership dues (Y. P.)	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----
Junior Division	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----
Baby Division	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----
Honorary life membership	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----
Week of Prayer	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----
Adult mite boxes	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----
Florine McEachern mite boxes	----	----	----	1.35	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----
Baby mite boxes	----	----	----	1.25	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----
Conference pledge	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	2.10	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	12.50
Deaconess scholarship	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----
Educational Endow. Fund	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----
City Mission Endow. Fund	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----
Deaconess Relief Fund	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----
Conference Expense Fund	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----
Specials	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----
Scarritt School	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----
Total sent Conf. Treas.	8.35	6.25	6.35	7.95	----	----	2.85	1.75	----	----	----	6.00	1.50	1.40	1.00	----	4.35	3.75	4.80	----	16.00

FAYETTEVILLE DISTRICT—Continued.

HOME MISSION DEPARTMENT.

	McGee's.				Pittsboro.				Duke.				Newton Grove.				Jonesboro.				Hay St.
	First Quarter.	Second Quarter.	Third Quarter.	Fourth Quarter.	First Quarter.	Second Quarter.	Third Quarter.	Fourth Quarter.	First Quarter.	Second Quarter.	Third Quarter.	Fourth Quarter.	First Quarter.	Second Quarter.	Third Quarter.	Fourth Quarter.	First Quarter.	Second Quarter.	Third Quarter.	Fourth Quarter.	Fourth Quarter.
Value supplies sent off																					
Value supplies locally																					
Assistance of needy																					
Expended on parsonage																					
Expended on church																					
Conference expense																					
Specials																					
Total local work																					

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT SUMMARY.

Number members (very incomplete)	186
New members	6
Life members	1
Honorary members	2
Subscribers to "Voice"	88
Subscribers to "Young Christian Worker"	5
Station	$ 8.45
Scarritt School	1.15
Scholarships, Girls' School, China	20.00
Dues	239.22
Conference expense fund	22.30
Pledge	407.90
Thank offering, Week of Prayer	12.50
Bible women, by Mrs. W. H. Humber	60.00
Scholarships, Rio Girls' School	5.00
Retired missionary fund	.75
Total	777.27

HOME DEPARTMENT SUMMARY.

	Number and Amount.	Increase.	Decrease.
Number of adult auxiliaries in district	10	1	
Total number of members in auxiliaries (adult)	211		21
Total number of subscribers to "Missionary Voice"	22		29
Number of members in Mission Study Classes	19		
Number of auxiliaries observing Week of Prayer	1		3
Number of committees to look after the sick	5		
Number of committees to visit strangers	5		
Number of auxiliaries giving relief to individuals or families	1		
Auxiliaries using leaflets, bulletins, and *secular press*	7		
Number of boxes sent off and reported to Superintendent of Supply Department	3		
Amount sent Conference Treasurer for dues	$ 185.93		$ 18.41
Amount sent Conference Treasurer for *specials*	156.13		23.90
Amount expended for *local work*	453.82		
Total	795.88		

MRS. A. D. MUSE, *District Secretary.*

NEW BERN DISTRICT.

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

	Dues.	Conference Expense Fund.	Scarritt Fund.	Pledge.	Retirement.	Scholarship.	Blanche Fentress Memorial.	Average.	Totals.
Kinston	$ 50.30	$ 9.50	$ 1.00	$ 190.50	$ 1.95	$	$ 0.90	$ 4.25	$ 254.15
Centenary	108.00	22.75		200.25	2.05			4.00	333.05
Ocracoke	15.60	1.50	1.50	26.65	.30				45.55
Morehead City	40.65	8.85	1.45	105.05	1.80		1.25	4.30	159.05
St. Paul	76.37	17.25	1.00	200.00	3.00			4.20	297.62
Faison	8.60	.50		226.00	.50	80.00		39.50	315.60
St. John	21.55			53.75				3.00	75.30
Oriental	12.90	1.00		25.00				2.75	38.90
Hookerton	22.50	3.85	.30	53.65	.55			4.50	80.85
Stonewall	6.40								6.40
Snow Hill	14.55	2.25		36.00	.10			2.50	52.90
Beaufort	22.20	2.50	1.50	75.75	.35			5.00	102.30
Mount Olive	25.55	5.40	2.25	57.90	1.40			4.00	92.50
Totals	425.17	75.35	9.00	1,250.86	12.00	80.00	2.15		1,854.17
Bright Jewels									152.23
Young People									210.77
Grand total									2,317.17

HOME DEPARTMENT.

	Dues.	Pledge.	Conference Expense Fund.	Deaconess Relief Fund.	Total.	Local.	Total.
Pollocksville	$ 19.20	$ 10.00	$ 2.85	$ 0.85	$ 32.90	$ 157.78	$ 190.68
LaGrange	21.20	20.00			41.20	260.04	301.24
Kinston	13.15	3.00	1.35		21.80	802.35	824.15
Trenton	19.00	24.00	3.50		46.50	48.00	94.50
Goldsboro	83.05	129.00	18.40	2.45	233.20	352.24	585.44
New Bern	108.20	136.47	11.85	3.65	260.17	164.83	425.00
Faison	1.60	15.00			16.60	110.00	126.60
Total							2,568.71

Mrs. H. J. Faison, *District Secretary.*

RALEIGH DISTRICT.

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

	Number Members.	New Members.	Life Members.	Honorary Members.	Subscribers to "Voice."	Dues.	Conference Expense Fund.	Retirement Fund.	Scarritt.	Reavis Day School.	Bible Women.	Scholarship Fund.	Thank Offering.	Memorial (White).	Pledge.	Missionary Candidate.	Totals.
Banks Chapel	30	1	9	5	11	$23.78	$ 4.00	$ 0.75	$ 2.00	$	$30.00	$40.00	$	$	$151.00	$	$251.53
Benson	25	12			9	11.65	1.75	.70							7.25		21.35
Cary	18				6	21.30	2.15	.75							37.55		61.75
Central	30				10	27.35	5.30						12.00		65.00		109.65
Edenton Street	46		8		22	45.76	10.25	1.65					12.45	1.25	135.97		207.33
Mary Pescud	33	3			10	28.30	4.75	1.65	1.00			40.70			108.15		184.55
Elizabeth	16		2		6	13.20	2.00	.45					2.40		16.95	1.00	36.00
Four Oaks	19		5		4	13.20	2.50	.15							43.40		59.25
Franklinton	26		26		18	30.65	6.50	2.20	2.00				225.50		340.00		606.85
Louisburg	42		17	13	18	47.50	10.25	2.05	1.00	225.00	60.00				235.00		580.85
Oxford	32		9		12	41.55	8.50	1.90	1.00						152.20		205.15
Plank Chapel	14			7	4	16.40	2.75	.60							33.50		53.25
Salem	17		2		6	17.25		.25							8.00		25.50
Totals	348	16	84	25	136	337.94	60.70	13.10	7.00	225.00	90.00	80.70	252.35	1.25	1,333.97	1.00	2,403.01

Increase over last year, $462.82.

HOME DEPARTMENT.

	Members.	Subscribers to "Voice."	Dues.	Conference Expense Fund.	Retirement Fund.	Scarritt.	Memorial (White).	Baby Division.	Thank Offering.	Deaconess Scholarship.	V. Johnson Home.	Vashti.	Brevard Institute.	Pledge.	Totals.
Banks Chapel	11	3	$ 8.40	$ 0.50	$ 0.10	$ 2.00	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$ 5.00	$ 16.00
Clayton	24	10	23.00	1.70										15.00	39.70
Cary	6		7.50											1.25	8.75
Central	8	3	.90												.90
Edenton Street	96	8	113.40	10.80			9.25	.50	19.10					59.05	212.10
Mary Pescud	10		14.75	2.75	.55		.05		4.37					19.55	42.02
Kenly	26	10	30.80									7.00	1.00	15.00	53.80
Four Oaks			3.30												3.30
Louisburg	38	18	44.20	8.60		1.00			7.55					61.19	122.54
Oxford	17	12	13.85	1.50		1.00								15.00	31.35
Selma	30	18	31.85	.85	.25					.75				33.00	66.70
Smithfield	58	22	59.45	4.05				7.03	15.50	5.00				28.10	119.13
											1.00			10.00	
Totals	324	104	351.40	30.75	.90	4.00	9.30	7.53	46.52	5.75	1.00	7.00	1.00	262.14	727.29

RALEIGH DISTRICT—Continued.

LOCAL WORK.

	Value of Supplies Sent Off.	Value of Supplies Used Locally.	Assistance of Needy.	Expended on Parsonage.	Expended on Church.	Conference Expense Fund Used.	Special.	Orphanage Fund.	Total.
Banks Chapel	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$
Clayton		15.00	25.00	15.00	138.80	8.10			201.90
Edenton Street		448.35	240.85	76.05		5.00		10.00	780.25
Cary									
Four Oaks									
Kenly		58.55	2.25	7.91		7.70			76.41
Louisburg	72.50	7.00	44.30	160.00			.25		284.05
Oxford		3.00	12.00	64.57	1.35		2.50		83.42
Selma		64.42	15.67	26.27		6.40	2.40		115.16
Smithfield	60.50	105.25	126.35	62.05	657.88	1.50	15.00	45.00	1,073.53
Mary Pescud									
Central									
Totals	133.00	701.57	466.42	412.30	798.03	28.70	20.15	55.00	2,614.72
Home Department									727.29
Grand total									3,342.01

Increase, $898.74.

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT SUMMARY.

Number of auxiliaries	13
Number of members	348
Number of new members	16
Number of life members	84
Number of honorary members	31
Number of honorary members, patrons	1
Number of subscribers to "Voice"	130
Number of Bible Women supported	2
Number of scholarships supported	2
Number of day schools supported	1
Dues	$ 337.94
Conference Expense Fund	60.70
Retirement Fund	13.10
Scarritt Bible and Training School	7.00
Reavis Day School	225.00
Bible Women	90.00
Scholarships	80.70
Thank offering	252.35
White Memorial	1.25
Missionary candidate	1.00
Pledge	1,333.97
	2,403.01
Young People's Work	356.92
Junior Division of Bright Jewels	431.68
Grand total	3,191.61

HOME DEPARTMENT SUMMARY.

	Number and Amount.	Increase.
Number of adult auxiliaries in district	12	4
Total number of members in auxiliaries (adult)	325	25
Total number of members in district	856	
Total number of members, Baby Division	128	
Total number of subscribers to "Missionary Voice"	104	
Total number enrolled as Christian stewards	51	
Number of members in Mission Study Classes	40	
Number of auxiliaries observing Week of Prayer	10	
Number of committees to look after the sick	7	
Number of committes to visit strangers	7	
Number of auxiliaries giving relief to individuals or families	9	
Auxiliaries using leaflets, bulletins, and secular press	12	
Number of auxiliaries helping to support a deaconess scholarship	2	
Number of boxes sent off and reported to Superintendent of Supply Department	3	
Amount sent Conference Treasurer for dues	$ 351.40	
Amount sent Conference Treasurer for specials	375.89	$ 94.39
Amount expended for local work	2,614.72	830.00
Total sent Treasurer	727.29	
Amount expended for local work	2,614.72	
Grand total	3,342.01	

MRS. F. B. MCKINNE, *District Secretary.*

ROCKINGHAM DISTRICT.

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

	Aberdeen.	Biscoe.	Centenary.	Elizabethtown.	Fairmont.	Gibson.	Hamlet.	Laurinburg.	Lumberton.	Maxton.	Mount Gilead.	Raeford.	Red Springs.	Roberdell.	Rockingham.	St. Johns.	Troy.	Wadeville.	Zion.	St. Pauls.	Totals.
Number members	25	13	17	7	13	18	30	48	23	32	23	24	27	4	44	31	17	13	11	8	428
Life members		4									4		1		1						10
Honorary members				1									1			14					16
Subscribers to "Voice"	3	16		9	30	11	10	17	12		16	12	7	8	30	12	8	2	5		208
Scholarships		1								1											2
Bible Women													1								1
Dues	$25.42	$25.80	$16.25	5.90	$17.25	$18.90	$29.80	$52.10	$29.15	$28.90	$27.90	$24.60	$29.95	2.90	$47.70	$38.00	$19.00	$15.60	$12.83	6.20	$474.15
Conference Expense Fund	2.50	2.50	3.00	1.25	2.00	3.75	4.25	8.30	2.50	3.00	2.50	4.50	4.75		8.30	7.75	.50	2.00	1.95	1.65	66.95
Pledge	428.90	440.33	23.00	1.00	20.00		25.00	540.00	101.00	49.53	63.05	24.50					51.30	22.90	15.00		1,805.51
Scarritt	2.00	.70	1.00		2.00			2.00	2.00		.20		2.00		2.00	2.00	.30	2.00			18.20
Bible Women													60.00								60.00
Scholarships		40.00								40.00											80.00
Retirement	1.17	.45	.40	.30		.75	.75	1.70	1.00	.45	.50		1.20		2.00	1.50	.20	.40	.10	.33	13.20
Mary Helm School						150.00										150.00					300.00
Joy Hardie Bible School															251.50						251.50
Week of Prayer	9.00				12.55		1.40		5.20	2.07											30.22
Nurse Scholarship							100.00														100.00
Rio School																		1.00			1.00
F. K. Gamble, Korea			6.20																		6.20
Miss Lamb's School	25.00																				25.00
Totals	493.99	509.78	49.85	8.45	53.80	173.40	161.20	604.10	140.85	123.95	94.15	53.60	97.90	2.90	311.50	199.25	71.30	43.90	29.88	8.18	3,231.93

ADULT AUXILIARIES—FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

	Number and Amount.	Increase.
Number of members	428	20
Life members	10	.....
Honorary members	16	.....
Subscribers to "Voice"	208	53
Scholarships	2	.....
Bible Women	1	.....
Dues	$ 474.15	.....
Conference Expense Fund	66.95	.....
Pledge	1,805.51	.....
Thank Offering, Week of Prayer	30.22	.....
Bible Women	60.00	.....
Scholarships	80.00	.....
Scarritt	18.20	.....
Retirement	13.20	.....
Mary Helm School	300.00	.....
Joy Hardie Bible School	251.50	.....
Nurse Scholarship	100.00	.....
Rio School	1.00	.....
F. K. Gamble, Korea	6.20	.....
Miss Lamb's School	25.00	.....
Total	3,231.93	.....

ADULT AUXILIARIES AND YOUNG PEOPLE—FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

Dues	$ 603.59
Pledge	2,215.17
Conference Expense Fund	75.08
Scarritt	22.20
Bible Women	60.00
Scholarships	270.00
Retirement	16.20
Mary Helm School	300.00
Joy Hardie Bible School	251.50
Week of Prayer	30.22
Nurse Scholarship	100.00
Rio School	1.00
McTyiere School	42.28
F. K. Gamble, Korea	6.20
Miss Lamb's School	25.00
Total Adult and Young People, Foreign	4,018.44
Total Bright Jewels, Foreign	383.26
Grand total for department	4,401.70

ROCKINGHAM DISTRICT—Continued.

ADULT AUXILIARIES—HOME DEPARTMENT.

	Aberdeen.	Barkers.	Biscoe.	Elizabethtown.	Fairmont.	Hamlet.	Laurinburg.	Lumberton.	Maxton.	Roberdell.	Rockingham.	Rowland.	St. Pauls.	Troy.	Zion.	Other Young People's Societies.	Other Junior Divisions.	Other Baby Divisions.	Totals.
Total number of members in auxiliary (adult)	23	13	7	10	30	36	27	29	11	21	40	20	14	6	11				298
Total number of members in auxiliary (young people)	9		15		28		27	12	30	31	23	10		7	12	120			324
Total number of members, Junior Division	9		26		45	70	58	11	55	27	17		21	21	40		238		638
Total number of members, Baby Division					4	20		20	13		1		3					12	73
Total number of subscribers to "Missionary Voice"	9		18	10	16	8	17	12		8	34	3		2	5				142
Number of members in mission study class			9						7		24								40
Have you observed Week of Prayer?	yes		yes		yes	yes	yes	yes	yes		yes	yes	yes		yes				
Have you a committee to look after the sick?	yes		yes		yes	yes	yes	yes	yes		yes	yes			yes				
Have you a committee to visit strangers?	yes		yes		yes	yes	yes	yes	yes		yes	yes			yes				
Have you given relief to individuals or families?	yes		yes		yes				yes		yes	yes			yes				
Do you use leaflets, bulletins, and secular press?	yes		yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes		yes	yes	yes	yes	yes				

Do you help support a deaconess scholarship?					yes														
Number boxes sent off and reported to Supt. Supply Department					2	2	1	3		1	5		1						15
Amount sent Conf. Treas. for dues	$11.28	$16.04	$ 7.10	$ 5.10	$35.90	$35.05	$31.75	$34.60	$ 7.80	$25.25	$43.40	$24.22	$14.30	$ 4.70	$12.77				$309.26
Deaconess Relief Fund	1.18			.05		.75	1.25				1.85		.22	.10	.05				5.45
Conference Expense Fund	2.50		.75	1.25	2.80	3.45	5.25			3.00	7.90	3.50	1.10	.50	1.95				33.95
Pledge	9.55	5.00	44.96	1.00	29.40	7.20	20.00	35.00	2.20	8.00	45.90	7.50	3.10	1.20	12.20				232.27
Week of Prayer	6.00				17.00			5.00							2.30				30.30
Scarritt								1.00			2.00								3.00
Sue Bennett Memorial													2.30						2.30
Total sent Conf. Treas.	30.51	21.04	52.81	7.40	85.10	46.45	58.25	75.60	10.00	36.25	101.05	35.22	21.02	6.50	29.27				616.47
LOCAL WORK.																			
Value supplies sent off					15.00		34.64	38.15				90.00							177.79
Value supplies locally					30.25			13.00											43.25
Assistance of needy			12.00		51.00			3.00				15.00							81.00
Expended on parsonage					42.65	55.00	156.85	20.00	13.00			20.75							308.25
Expended on church								771.49	44.50										815.99
City missions, through C. M. Bd.					16.50			28.75											45.25
Total, local work			12.00		155.40	55.00	191.49	874.39	57.50			125.75							1,471.53
Grand total, home work																			2,088.00

ROCKINGHAM DISTRICT—Continued.

ADULT AUXILIARIES—HOME DEPARTMENT.

	Number and Amount.	Increase.
Number of adult auxiliaries in district	15	6
Total number of members in auxiliaries (adult)	298	105
Number of young people's auxiliaries	15	6
Total number of members in auxiliaries (young people)	324	120
Number of Junior Divisions	19	14
Total number of members, Junior Division	638	496
Total number of members in district	1,260	721
Total number of members, Baby Divisions	73	10
Total number of subscribers to "Missionary Voice"	142	18
Number of members in Mission Study Classes	40	----------
Number of auxiliaries observing Week of Prayer	11	3
Number of committees to look after the sick	10	----------
Number of committees to visit strangers	10	----------
Number of auxiliaries giving relief to individuals or families	7	----------
Auxiliaries using leaflets, bulletins, and secular press	13	----------
Number of boxes sent off and reported to Superintendent of Supply Department	15	5
Sent Conference Treasurer for dues	$ 309.26	----------
Deaconess Relief Fund	5.45	----------
Conference Expense Fund	33.95	----------
Pledge	232.21	----------
Week of Prayer	30.30	
Scarritt	3.00	----------
Sue Bennett	2.30	
Total sent Conference Treasurer	616.47	----------
Total local work	1,471.53	----------
Grand total	2,088.00	----------

ADULT AUXILIARIES AND YOUNG PEOPLE—HOME DEPARTMENT.

Dues	$ 431.17
Pledge	321.84
Deaconess Relief Fund	9.80
Conference Fund	50.07
Week of Prayer	49.28
Scarritt	7.00
Sue Bennett	12.30
Laredo Seminary	62.28
Total sent Conference Treasurer, Adult and Young People	943.74
Total Bright Jewels	255.50
Grand total sent Conference Treasurer	1,199.24
Total local work	1,471.53
Grand total, Home Department	2,670.77

YOUNG PEOPLE.

[Auxiliaries, 15; Members, 289.]

	Home.	Foreign.	Totals.
Dues	$ 121.91	$ 129.44	$ 251.35
Pledge	89.63	384.66	474.29
Conference fee	16.12	8.13	24.25
Retirement and Relief	4.35	3.00	7.35
Laredo	62.28		62.28
McTyiere		42.28	42.28
Sue Bennett	10.00		10.00
Scholarships		190.00	190.00
District Missionary		25.00	25.00
Week of Prayer	18.98		18.98
Scarritt Bible and Training School	4.00	4.00	8.00
Totals	327.27	786.51	1,113.78

ROCKINGHAM DISTRICT—Continued.

ADULT AUXILIARIES.

	*Home.	Foreign.	*Totals.	Local Work.
Aberdeen	$ 30.51	$ 493.99	$ 524.50	$
Barkers	21.04		21.04	
Biscoe	52.81	509.78	562.59	12.00
Centenary		49.85	49.85	
Elizabethtown	7.40	8.45	15.85	
Fairmont	85.10	53.80	138.90	155.40
Gibson		173.40	173.40	
Hamlet	46.45	161.20	207.65	55.00
Laurinburg	58.25	604.10	662.35	191.49
Lumberton	75.60	140.85	216.45	874.39
Maxton	10.00	123.95	133.95	57.50
Mount Gilead		94.15	94.15	
Raeford		53.60	53.60	
Red Springs		97.90	97.90	
Roberdell	36.25	2.90	39.15	
Rockingham	101.05	311.50	412.55	
Rowland	35.22		35.22	125.75
St. Johns		199.25	199.25	
St. Pauls	21.02	8.18	29.20	
Troy	6.50	71.30	77.80	
Wadeville		43.90	43.90	
Zion	29.27	29.88	59.15	
Totals	616.47	3,231.93	3,848.40	1,471.53

*Sent Conference Treasurer.

SUMMARY.

	*Home.	†Home.	Foreign.	Totals.
Adult auxiliaries	$ 616.47	$ 1,471.53	$ 3,231.93	$ 5,319.93
Young People's Auxiliaries	327.27		786.51	1,113.78
Bright Jewels	255.50		383.26	638.76
Totals	1,199.24	1,471.53	4,401.70	7,072.47

*Sent Conference Treasurer. †Local.

MRS. J. F. RAY, *District Secretary.*

WARRENTON DISTRICT.

HOME DEPARTMENT.

	Littleton.				Whitakers.				Winton.				Calvary.				Jackson.				Arcola.			
	First Quarter.	Second Quarter.	Third Quarter.	Fourth Quarter.	First Quarter.	Second Quarter.	Third Quarter.	Fourth Quarter.	First Quarter.	Second Quarter.	Third Quarter.	Fourth Quarter.	First Quarter.	Second Quarter.	Third Quarter.	Fourth Quarter.	First Quarter.	Second Quarter.	Third Quarter.	Fourth Quarter.	First Quarter.	Second Quarter.	Third Quarter.	Fourth Quarter.
Membership dues (adult)	$5.85	$4.05	$2.90	$5.40	$___	$___	$___	$___	$2.90	$2.45	$2.55	$3.50	$4.45	$___	$___	$3.65	$___	$9.90	$5.10	$4.50	$___	$___	$___	$10.40
Week of Prayer	------	------	------	6.45	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	8.00	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------
Florine McEachern mite boxes	1.00	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------
Conference pledge	------	.50	1.75	11.50	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	5.75	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	7.75	------	------	------	------
Deaconess scholarship	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	2.00	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------
Educa. Endow. Fund	.10	.10	.25	1.00	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------
Deaconess Relief Fund	.15	.25	.15	.50	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------
Conf. Expense Fund	.25	.50	.90	1.00	------	------	------	------	------	------	.50	1.25	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------
Total sent Conference Treasurer	7.35	5.40	5.95	25.85	------	------	------	------	2.90	2.45	3.05	20.50	4.45	------	------	3.60	------	9.90	5.10	12.25	------	------	------	10.40
Value supplies sent off	------	------	15.00	20.00	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------
Value supplies locally	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	5.40	------	------	25.00	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------
Expended on parsonage	39.82	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------
Totals, local work	39.82	------	15.00	20.00	------	------	------	------	5.40	------	------	25.00	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------

MRS. K. P. BLACK, *District Secretary.*

WASHINGTON DISTRICT.

FOREIGN.

Name of Auxiliary.	Number Members.	Scarritt.	Retirement.	Dues.	Conference Expense Fund.	Pledge.	Thank Offering.	Specials.	Totals.
Fairfield	31	$	$	$ 34.00	$ 3.75	$ 30.00	$	$	$ 67.75
Washington	41	1.55	1.15	43.30	4.75	116.94	12.20		179.89
Tarboro	17			13.10	.75	5.55			19.40
Greenville	40			39.70	7.50	127.50		1.45	176.15
Rocky Mount	50	1.95	2.30	59.85	11.25	132.15	5.80		213.30
Nashville	21			22.80		35.85		4.15	62.80
Wilson	53			53.30	9.60	163.50	10.17	2.00	238.57
Beamans	11			11.64		15.00			26.64
Totals	264	3.50	3.45	277.69	37.60	626.49	28.17	7.60	984.50

HOME DEPARTMENT.

	Aurora.	Tarboro.				Rocky Mount.				Wilson.			
		First Quarter.	Second Quarter.	Third Quarter.	Fourth Quarter.	First Quarter.	Second Quarter.	Third Quarter.	Fourth Quarter.	First Quarter.	Second Quarter.	Third Quarter.	Fourth Quarter.
Membership dues (adult)	$	$ 6.40	$ 5.25	$ 1.90	$ 8.65	$13.00	$ 8.70	$11.60	$21.00	$19.90	$13.20	$10.00	$ 29.00
Membership dues (Y. W.)							11.55		16.80				
Week of Prayer													10.30
Baby mite boxes													
Conference pledge		8.00			1.00	1.00	6.00	7.00	15.00				33.20
Deaconess scholarship								.25	1.15				
Retirement Fund						1.45							
Deaconess Relief Fund											.95	.35	.80
Conference Expense Fund		.15			.15	6.25	1.50	.85	5.75	1.00	3.75	1.50	4.50
Specials							1.90						
Total sent Conference Treasurer		14.55	5.25	1.90	9.80	21.70	29.65	19.70	59.70	20.90	17.90	11.85	77.80
Value supplies sent off		15.00							15.00		95.00		90.00
Value supplies locally		38.00		39.00		1.00	5.00			.55	10.00		
Assistance of needy									15.00	.55			15.76
Expended on parsonage	5.00								12.50		35.50		
Expended on church							168.00		9.00				
Conf. Expense Fund expended by auxiliary													
Specials						1.00							
Put on interest for needy													
Totals, local work	5.00	53.00		39.00		2.00	173.00		51.50	1.10	140.50		105.76

WASHINGTON DISTRICT—Continued.

HOME DEPARTMENT—CONTINUED.

	Fremont.				Spring Hope.				Farmville.				Totals.
	First Quarter.	Second Quarter.	Third Quarter.	Fourth Quarter.	First Quarter.	Second Quarter.	Third Quarter.	Fourth Quarter.	First Quarter.	Second Quarter.	Third Quarter.	Fourth Quarter.	
Membership dues (adult)	$ 8.00	$ 7.90	$ 8.20	$ 9.20	$ 5.60	$ 3.35	$ 2.80	$ 9.40	$ 5.25	$ 5.20	$ 7.00	$ 6.80	$ 227.30
Membership dues (Y. W.)													28.35
Week of Prayer				3.00								1.70	15.00
Baby mite boxes		1.45											1.45
Conference pledge				25.00									96.20
Deaconess scholarship													1.40
Retirement Fund													1.45
Deaconess Relief Fund													2.10
Conference Expense Fund													25.40
Specials													1.90
Total sent Conference Treasurer	8.00	9.35	8.20	37.20	5.60	3.35	2.80	9.40	5.25	5.20	7.00	8.50	400.55
Value supplies sent off													215.00
Value supplies locally					1.50		.20	14.00					109.25
Assistance of needy											21.00		52.31
Expended on parsonage	136.34			52.50		1.50		3.95					247.29
Expended on church								708.66					885.66
Conf. Expense Fund, expended by auxiliary					9.00								9.00
Specials													1.00
Put on interest for needy												100.00	100.00
Totals, local work	136.34			52.50	10.50	1.50	.20	726.61			21.00	100.00	1,619.51

HOME DEPARTMENT SUMMARY.

Number of adult auxiliaries in district		7
Total number of members in auxiliaries (adult)		268
Number of Young People's auxiliaries		3
Total number of members in auxiliaries (Young People)		198
Number of Junior Divisions		2
Total number of members, Junior Division		67
Total number of members in district		533
Total number of members, Baby Division		6
Total number of subscribers to "Missionary Voice"		22
Number of auxiliaries observing Week of Prayer		7
Number of auxiliaries giving relief to individuals and families		7
Number of auxiliaries using leaflets, bulletins, and secular press		7
Number of boxes sent off and reported to Superintendent Supply Department		3
Amount sent Conference Treasurer for dues		$ 255.65
Amount sent Conference Treasurer for specials		1.90
Amount, Deaconess Scholarship		1.40
Amount, Week of Prayer		15.00
Amount, Baby Mite Boxes		1.45
Amount, Conference pledge		96.20
Amount, Retirement Fund		1.45
Amount, Deaconess Relief Fund		2.10
Amount, Conference Expense Fund		25.40
Total sent Treasurer		400.55
Value supplies sent off	$ 215.00	
Value supplies, locally	109.25	
Value assistance needy	52.31	
Amount expended on parsonage	247.29	
Amount expended on church	885.66	
Conference Expense Fund	9.00	
Specials	1.00	
Placed on interest for needy	100.00	
		1,619.51
		2,020.06

MRS. W. P. BAUGHAM, *District Secretary.*

WILMINGTON DISTRICT.

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

	Dues.	Pledge.	Conference Expense Fund.	Retirement Fund.	Blanche Fentress School.	Piano for Carolina Institute.	Scarritt Fund.	Thank Offering.	Totals.
Grace	$ 79.10	$ 750.00	$ 13.40	$ 2.75	$ 12.00	$ 50.00	$ 1.20	$	$ 908.45
Fifth Street	35.05	100.14	5.75	.70	.90		2.00		144.54
Young Women of Fifth Street	14.70	103.75	1.50				1.00		120.95
Richlands	18.40	5.00			10.00				33.40
Rose Hill	6.20	5.50	.25						11.95
Wallace	30.00	60.00	3.75	.60			2.00		96.35
Council	9.30	15.00	1.00						25.30
Southport	5.20	5.00	.35						10.55
Charity	16.94	12.00	2.78						31.72
Whiteville	23.30	15.30	3.75					4.00	46.35
Totals	238.19	1,071.69	32.53	4.05	22.90	50.00	6.20	4.00	1,429.56

Increase, $220.21.

HOME DEPARTMENT.

	Grace Street.				Richlands.				Rose Hill.				Johnson's Chapel.			
	First Quarter.	Second Quarter.	Third Quarter.	Fourth Quarter.	First Quarter.	Second Quarter.	Third Quarter.	Fourth Quarter.	First Quarter.	Second Quarter.	Third Quarter.	Fourth Quarter.	First Quarter.	Second Quarter.	Third Quarter.	Fourth Quarter.
Membership dues (adult)	$20.55	$22.50	$ 9.40	$73.65	$ 6.20	$ 4.70	$ 6.20	$ 7.10	$ 6.25	$ 6.05	$ 5.15	$ 3.45	$4.40	$2.70	$2.10	$2.70
Week of Prayer				34.82				3.70								
Conference pledge	104.25	46.50	23.50	53.75				5.00		16.75	9.75				5.00	
Deaconess scholarship	1.50	3.50	2.00	33.00												
Deaconess Relief Fund	.20	.40	.35	3.45											.55	
Conference Expense Fund	2.00	2.25	1.50	16.20							2.50				1.25	
Specials (Scarritt)		.30		1.70							1.15					
Total sent Conf. Treas.	128.50	75.45	36.75	216.57	6.20	4.70	6.20	15.80	6.25	22.80	18.55		4.40	2.70	8.90	2.70
Value supplies sent off			50.00	120.00												
Value supplies locally	38.72															
Assistance of needy	13.20			5.00												
Expended on parsonage					8.20								5.10			
Expended on church					4.55											
Specials			15.65	7.44		41.85	7.25	29.95	45.75							
Totals, local work	51.92	108.66	65.65	132.44	12.75	41.85	7.25	29.95	45.75				5.10			

WILMINGTON DISTRICT—Continued.

HOME DEPARTMENT—CONTINUED.

	Jacksonville.				Council.				Southport.			Wallace.		Young Women of Fifth Street.	
	First Quarter.	Second Quarter.	Third Quarter.	Fourth Quarter.	First Quarter.	Second Quarter.	Third Quarter.	Fourth Quarter.	Second Quarter.	Third Quarter.	Fourth Quarter.	Second Quarter.	Fourth Quarter.	Third Quarter.	Fourth Quarter.
Membership dues (adult)	$ 6.30	$ 4.60	$12.40	$ 6.95	$	$ 2.50	$ 4.00	$ 4.20	$ 1.00	$ 1.40	$ 1.75	$ 1.10	$ 1.30	$ 5.60	$ 6.20
Week of Prayer															
Conference pledge		5.00	1.75	8.25			11.50	3.50			2.40		10.00	3.35	
Deaconess scholarship															
Deaconess Relief Fund				.55											
Conference Expense Fund				2.25				.50						2.25	1.00
Specials (Scarritt)				2.00											1.00
Total sent Conf. Treas.	6.30	9.60	14.15	20.00		2.50	15.50	8.20	1.00	1.40	4.15	1.10	11.30	11.20	8.20
Value supplies sent off															
Value supplies locally													12.00		
Assistance of needy															
Expended on parsonage															
Expended on church															
Conference expense															
Specials								13.25		6.00			29.53		
Totals, local work								13.25		6.00			41.53		

HOME DEPARTMENT SUMMARY.

	Number and Amount.	Increase.
Number of adult auxiliaries in district	9	3
Total number of members in auxiliaries (adult)	243	30
Number of Young People's auxiliaries	3	----------
Total number of members in auxiliaries (Young People)	117	----------
Number of Junior Divisions	11	----------
Total number of members, Junior Division	299	----------
Total number of members in district	708	----------
Total number of members, Baby Division	49	----------
Total number of subscribers to "Missionary Voice"	65	----------
Total number taking reading course	18	----------
Number of members in Mission Study Classes	51	----------
Number of auxiliaries observing Week of Prayer	4	----------
Number of committees to look after the sick	4	----------
Number of committees to visit strangers	4	----------
Number of auxiliaries giving relief to individuals and families	4	----------
Number of auxiliaries using leaflets, bulletins, and secular press	9	----------
Number of auxiliaries helping to support a deaconess scholarship	1	----------
Number of boxes sent off and reported to Superintendent Supply Department	2	----------
Amount sent Conference Treasurer for dues	$ 244.60	----------
Amount sent Conference Treasurer for pledge	333.75	----------
Deaconess Scholarship	40.00	----------
Conference Expense Fund	31.70	----------
Week of Prayer	38.52	----------
Deaconess Relief Fund	5.50	----------
Scarritt Fund	6.15	----------
Total sent Treasurer	708.22	----------
Amount expended for local work	558.65	----------
Total	1,258.87	----------

MRS. W. F. MURPHY, *District Secretary.*

CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS FOR UNITED CONFERENCE SOCIETIES, ADULT AND YOUNG PEOPLE'S ORGANIZATIONS AND CHILDREN'S WORK.

CONSTITUTION FOR CONFERENCE SOCIETIES.

1. In each Annual Conference there shall be organized a Conference Society with Home and Foreign Departments, auxiliary to the Woman's Missionary Council.

2. The object of this society is to plan and direct the Woman's Missionary work of the Conference.

3. The Conference Society shall consist of one or more delegates from each auxiliary, one or more District Secretaries from each district, a Superintendent of Press Work, and the following officers: A President, four Vice Presidents, two Corresponding Secretaries, one or more Recording Secretaries, one or more Treasurers. These officers shall be elected by ballot at the annual meeting.

BY-LAWS FOR CONFERENCES.

1. The Conference officers elected by ballot shall constitute an Executive Committee to transact business in the intervals of the annual sessions. Three shall constitute a quorum.

2. Conference officers shall be nominated by a committee named by the Executive Committee, composed of one or more representatives from each district. This does not debar the parliamentary privilege of nomination from the floor after the committee's report has been presented.

3. The District Secretaries and Conference Superintendents shall be nominated by a committee composed of the President, Corresponding Secretaries, and Treasurers, and shall be elected by acclamation.

4. An alternate from each department shall be elected at each annual session to attend the session of the Woman's Missionary Council.

5. Each Conference Society shall adopt a plan for raising a fund to meet the expenses of the Conference.

6. The Conference Society shall make its appropriations in annual session from the half of the regular membership fund of the Home Department, subject to its direction, these appropriations to be contingent upon the concurrence of the Woman's Missionary Council.

7. The President shall preside at all meetings of the Conference Society and of the Executive Committee, and shall actively advance the interests of the work.

8. The Vice Presidents shall perform the duties of the President in her absence.

9. The First Vice President shall have charge of the children's work, and shall make a quarterly report to the First Vice President of the Woman's Missionary Council and to the Corresponding Secretary of the Conference Society.

The Second Vice President shall have charge of the Young People's work, and shall report quarterly to the Second Vice President of the Woman's Missionary Council and to the Corresponding Secretary of the Conference Society.

The Third Vice President shall promote Christian stewardship and mission study, and shall report quarterly to the Third Vice President of the Woman's Missionary Council and to the Corresponding Secretary of the Conference Society.

The Fourth Vice President shall develop the work of social service, and shall report quarterly to the Fourth Vice President of the

Woman's Missionary Council and to the Corresponding Secretary of the Conference Society.

10. The Corresponding Secretaries shall conduct the correspondence of the society and supply the auxiliaries with information and with literature. They shall use all practical means for the organization of adult, young people's, and children's auxiliaries in every charge of the Conference, and forward a detailed report of each organization to the Corresponding Secretaries of the Woman's Missionary Council, to whom they shall also send quarterly reports by the 15th day of the first month of each quarter. They shall make to the Conference Society a report of the preceding session of the Woman's Missionary Council and such other reports as that body may desire. They shall sign all drafts on the Treasurer.

11. The Recording Secretary shall give notice of all meetings of the Conference Society and of the Executive Committee, and keep the minutes of the same on record.

12. The Treasurer shall receive all funds of the society, keeping a book account with each auxiliary, and submitting the same annually to an auditor. She shall send itemized reports promptly on the 15th day of the first month of each quarter to the Treasurer of the Woman's Missionary Council, therewith transmitting such funds as are collected for the General Treasury. She shall also send an itemized statement to the Conference Corresponding Secretary.

13. The District Secretaries shall organize auxiliaries, and use every available means to promote the advancement of the Woman's Missionary Societies in their districts. They shall present a report of the work at the District Conference, and shall hold annual meetings in the district (composed of delegates from the auxiliaries), and all-day meetings whenever practicable. If the Conference so direct, the District Secretaries shall conduct the correspondence with auxiliaries, and send a quarterly report to the Conference Corresponding Secretaries, and a copy of the same to the President of the Conference Society. It shall be their duty to do all in their power to obtain subscribers to the *Missionary Voice* and *Young Christian Worker*.

14. The Conference Society may elect superintendents to coöperate with the Superintendents of the Council. They shall send quarterly reports of their work to the General Superintendent of their department before the 10th of the first month of each quarter and report also to the Conference Corresponding Secretaries.

15. Conference and Auxiliary Society shall not project new work in the mission fields, nor respond to special calls for aid, without approval of the Woman's Missionary Council.

16. The regular dues of the auxiliary societies—adult, young people's and children's—also funds contributed to make life members, honorary members, and life patrons, shall not be devoted to specific work.

17. The thank offering during the Week of Prayer shall be applied to some specific object to be determined each year by the Woman's Missionary Council in annual session.

18. The first meeting of the fiscal year of the auxiliaries shall be a pledge meeting, at which time voluntary pledges shall be made by the members and a report of the same be forwarded to the Conference Corresponding Secretaries.

19. The Conference Society may make such by-laws as the work demands, provided they do not conflict with those made by the Council.

20. During the annual meetings a half hour at noon shall be set aside for devotional services.

ADULT SOCIETIES.

Any number of women may become an adult auxiliary to the Woman's Missionary Conference Society by adopting the following Constitution and By-Laws and electing the officers therein provided:

CONSTITUTION FOR AUXILIARIES.

1. This society shall be called the Woman's Missionary Society of the ....., auxiliary to ..... Conference Society of the Woman's Missionary Council of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South.

2. The object of this society shall be to hasten the coming of the kingdom of God in the United States and non-Christian lands by enlisting the women, young people, and children in a study of the needs of the world and in active missionary service, by raising funds for the evangelization of mission fields at home and abroad, for the maintenance of the institutions under the care of the Woman's Missionary Council, for the betterment of civic and social conditions, and for meeting neighborhood needs.

3. Any one may become a member of this society by giving prayer, service, and ten cents dues per month to either department, Home or Foreign, or twenty cents dues to both. Opportunities shall be given for pledges and for free-will offerings, to be directed by the donors to such objects as have been authorized by the Woman's Missionary Council. Each auxiliary may raise the amount necessary for local work.

4. Any one may become a life member of either department of the society by the payment to the general fund of twenty-five dollars for this specific purpose.

5. The officers of the society shall be a President, four Vice Presidents, two Corresponding Secretaries, one or more Recording Secretaries, one or more Treasurers, who shall constitute an Executive Committee of the society.

6. The society shall hold at least one monthly meeting for educational and inspirational purposes, and for the transaction of business. Other meetings may be held for Bible study and the varying phases of mission work. At the last meeting of the fiscal year there shall be the annual election of officers. At the following meeting there shall be full reports of the year's work, installation of officers, and consideration of plans for work for the new year.

BY-LAWS FOR AUXILIARIES.

1. The President shall preside at all meetings of the society and shall actively advance its interests. At her request or in her absence one of the Vice Presidents shall assume her duties.

2. The First Vice President shall have charge of the children's work.

The Second Vice President shall have charge of the young people's work.

The Third Vice President shall promote Christian stewardship and mission study.

The Fourth Vice President shall develop the work of social service and local work.

These officers shall coöperate with the Conference officers having the same work in charge, and shall report to them quarterly.

3. The Corresponding Secretaries shall conduct the correspondence of the society and send to the District Secretaries full reports by the

first day of each quarter. They shall also send annually to the District Secretaries and Conference Corresponding Secretaries the names and addresses of the officers of the auxiliary. They shall send their books to the district meeting for examination.

4. The Recording Secretary shall keep a record of the regular and called meetings, and see that each meeting is properly announced.

5. The Treasurers shall collect all moneys of the society, keep an account of the same, and remit to the Conference Treasurers by the first day of each quarter, giving an itemized statement of the amounts, a duplicate of the same to be furnished the Auxiliary Corresponding Secretary. The books of the Treasurer shall be audited annually.

6. The society shall elect an agent for the *Missionary Voice* and a Superintendent of Press Work.

7. Superintendents of Bureaus shall be elected as needed.

8. The Vice Presidents, Secretaries, Treasurers, Agent, and Superintendents shall make written reports at the monthly business meeting.

YOUNG PEOPLE'S SOCIETIES.

CONSTITUTION.

1. This society shall be called the Young People's Society of ...., auxiliary to ..... Conference Society of the Woman's Missionary Council, Methodist Episcopal Church, South.

2. The object of this society shall be to hasten the coming of the kingdom of God in the United States and non-Christian lands by enlisting the young people in active missionary service, by raising funds for the evangelization of mission fields at home and abroad, for the maintenance of the institutions under the care of the Woman's Missionary Council, for the betterment of civic and social conditions, and for the relief of neighborhood needs.

3. Any one between the ages of fourteen and twenty-two may become a member of the society by giving regularly prayer, service, and a stated offering monthly or quarterly to missions. Opportunities will be given for pledges for special work, and free-will offerings to be used as directed by donors to such objects as are authorized by the Woman's Missionary Council.

The membership fund shall be divided as follows: Fifty per cent to the Foreign Department, fifty per cent to the Home Department. No other funds are subject to this division.

4. Any one may become a life member of the society by the payment to the general fund of ten dollars for this specific purpose.

5. The officers of the society shall be a President, four Vice Presidents, one or more Corresponding Secretaries, a Recording Secretary, one or more Treasurers, who shall constitute an Executive Committee of the society.

6. The society shall hold at least one monthly meeting for educational and inspirational purposes, and for the transaction of business. Other meetings may be held for Bible study and the varying phases of mission work. At the last meeting of the fiscal year there shall be the annual election of officers. At the following meetings there shall be full reports of the year's work, installation of officers, and consideration of plans for work for the new year.

BY-LAWS.

1. The President shall preside at the meetings of the society and in every way advance its interests. In her absence one of the Vice Presidents shall preside.

2. The First Vice President shall assist the First Vice President of the adult auxiliary in superintending the Children's Department.

The Second Vice President shall be agent of the missionary periodicals of the Council and Press Superintendent.

The Third Vice President shall promote Christian stewardship and mission study.

The Fourth Vice President shall develop the work of social service and local work.

3. The Corresponding Secretaries shall conduct the correspondence of the society and make reports to the Vice President of the Conference by the first day of each quarter and to the District Secretaries, to whom they shall send annually the names and addresses of their officers.

4. The Recording Secretary shall keep a record of the regular and called meetings, and see that each meeting is properly announced.

5. The Treasurer shall collect all funds of the society, keeping a book account of the same, and remit to the Conference Treasurer by the first day of each quarter. She shall send a duplicate report to the Second Vice President of the Conference, and also furnish the Corresponding Secretaries of her auxiliary with a statement of the amounts remitted. The books of the Treasurer shall be audited.

THE CHILDREN'S DEPARTMENT.

CONSTITUTION.

In this department the children shall be organized for the foreign and home mission work.

The object shall be to give them missionary education, train them for Christian service, and cultivate in them habits of liberal and systematic giving, Bible-reading and prayer.

This department shall consist of Baby and Junior Divisions under a superintendent who shall also be a Vice President of the Woman's Missionary Auxiliary, whose work shall be correlated with the Conference Vice President in charge of children's work. All membership funds shall be divided equally, the mite-box funds divided in the proportion of sixty per cent to the Foreign and forty per cent to the Home Department.

BABY DIVISION.

1. Any child five years of age and under may become a member of the Baby Division of the Woman's Missionary Society upon the payment of an enrolment fee of twenty-five cents. Each child of the Baby Division shall be given a certificate and shall be furnished with a mite box for voluntary offerings, to be opened quarterly. Any child may become a life member of the Woman's Missionary Society by the payment of five dollars.

2. Names of children may be placed on the Memorial Roll by an offering to missions and by the use of mite boxes in memory of the child.

3. At least once a year special meetings shall be held for the members of the Baby Division, at which time mite boxes shall be opened and a helpful program be carried out.

4. The First Vice President of Adult Auxiliaries shall have charge of the Baby Division.

JUNIOR DIVISION.

1. Any child between the ages of five and fourteen years may become a member of the Junior Division of the Woman's Missionary Society by giving regular prayer, service, and a stated offering to missions. Each child of the Junior Division shall be furnished a mite box for voluntary offerings, to be opened quarterly. Any child may become a life member of the Woman's Missionary Society by the payment of five dollars to the general fund for this specific purpose.

2. The officers of the Junior Division shall be a President, four Vice Presidents, Corresponding Secretary, Recording Secretary, and Treasurer.

3. The Junior Division shall meet at least once a month to follow some line of study for which a program shall be furnished.

BY-LAWS.

1. The President shall preside at the meetings of the society and in every way advance its interests. In her absence one of the Vice Presidents shall preside.

2. The First Vice President shall help in the work of the Baby Division.

The Second Vice President shall be agent for the *Young Christian Worker.*

The Third Vice President shall promote Christian stewardship and mission study.

The Fourth Vice President shall have charge of the social service and local work of the children.

3. The Corresponding Secretaries shall conduct the correspondence of the society and make quarterly reports to the Vice President of the Conference and to the District Secretaries, to whom they shall send annually the names and addresses of their officers.

4. The Recording Secretary shall keep a record of the regular and called meetings, and see that each meeting is properly announced.

5. The Treasurer shall collect all funds of the society, keeping a book account of the same, and remit to the Conference Treasurer quarterly. She shall send a duplicate report to the Second Vice President of the Conference, and also furnish the Corresponding Secretaries of her auxiliary with a statement of the amounts remitted. The books of the Treasurer shall be audited.

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Wilmington District	Mrs. W. F. Murphy	Wallace.

AUDITOR.

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OFFICIAL MINUTES

OF THE

WOMAN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY

OF THE

NORTH CAROLINA CONFERENCE OF THE METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH, SOUTH

THURSDAY—MORNING SESSION.

The third annual meeting of the Woman's Missionary Society of the North Carolina Conference held its first business session in First Church, Rocky Mount, N. C., January 28, 1915, at 11 o'clock.

The following officers and delegates were present:

CONFERENCE OFFICERS.

President, Mrs. R. B. John, Smithfield, N. C.

First vice president, Mrs. N. H. D. Wilson.

Second vice president, Miss Lillie Duke.

Fourth vice president, Mrs. W. H. Speight.

Corresponding secretary, Home Department, Miss Sallie Lou McKinnon.

Treasurer, Home Department, Mrs. N. E. Edgerton.

Treasurer, Foreign Department, Mrs. B. B. Adams.

Superintendent of supplies, Mrs. Ida T. Wilkins.

Superintendent publicity, Mrs. E. C. Duncan.

VISITORS.

Mrs. Hume R. Steele, Miss Leila Judson Tuttle, Miss Elizabeth Davis.

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Warrenton District—Mrs. R. H. Willis.
Washington District—Mrs. W. P. Baugham.
Wilmington District—Mrs. W. F. Murphy.

DELEGATES.

RALEIGH DISTRICT—

Mrs. I. M. Procter, Edenton Street, Raleigh.
Mrs. L. D. Debnam, Selma.
Mrs. J. H. McCracken, Central, Raleigh.
Mrs. T. R. Hood, Smithfield.
Mrs. J. A. Turner, Louisburg.
Mrs. Y. M. Holland, Clayton.
Mrs. J. W. Darden, Kenly.
Miss Mabel Tomlinson, Elizabeth.
Mrs. Herbert Lyon, Banks Chapel.
Miss Bettie Edgerton, Selma.
Mrs. K. L. Street, Oxford Young People's Missionary Society.
Miss Ella B. Harris, Central.
Miss Daisy W. Green, Mary Pescud, Raleigh.
Miss Sara McGee, Young People, Raleigh.
Miss Eunice Blair, Young People, Raleigh.
Miss Lelia Straughn, Selma.
Miss Mollie Brown, Selma, Young People.
Mrs. B. B. Adams, Four Oaks.

ROCKINGHAM DISTRICT—

Mrs. T. J. Gill, Laurinburg.
Mrs. G. G. Martin, Aberdeen.
Mrs. O. T. Goodwin, Hamlet.
Mrs. W. H. Neal, Laurinburg.
Miss Lillie Parish, Minnie Wilson Young People.
Mrs. Nellie Terry, Rockingham.
Mrs. E. I. Pool, Lumberton.
Mrs. G. H. Biggs, Elizabethtown.
Miss Eunice Pearsall, Red Springs Bright Jewels.
Miss Bonnie Grantham, Fairmont.
Miss Chat Ratcliff, Fairmont.
Miss Wilma Stansill, Rockingham, Mary Steele Society.

Elizabeth City District—

Mrs. J. N. Winslow, Elizabeth City.
Mrs. J. G. Fearing, First Church, Elizabeth City (Young Woman's).
Mrs. J. W. Martin, City Road, Elizabeth City.
Miss May E. Smith, Gatesville.
Mrs. Holland D. Pugh, Wanchese.
Miss Addie Thach, Anderson.
Miss Kate Blanchard, Hertford, Minnie Wilson Missionary Society.
Mrs. B. H. Creef, Manteo.
Mrs. Levin Woolford, Sunbury, Philadelphia Auxiliary.
Mrs. B. W. Thach, Anderson.
Mrs. Charles Gaither, Hertford.

Fayetteville District—

Mrs. B. O. Townsend, Dunn.
Mrs. B. C. Gorham, Hay Street, Fayetteville.
Mrs. H. A. Bynum, Pittsboro.
Mrs. Gus. Womble, Sanford.
Mrs. H. E. Lance, Roseboro.
Miss Nannie Hoyle, Sanford, Young People's Missionary Society.
Miss Della Newby, Sanford, Young People's Missionary Society.

New Bern District—

Mrs. S. H. Scott, New Bern, Centenary.
Mrs. Fannie P. Whitaker, Kinston.
Mrs. J. B. Hooks, St. Paul's, Goldsboro.
Mrs. Sallie Summerlin, St. John's, Goldsboro.
Mrs. Hattie Edwards, Morehead City.
Miss Helen Canfield, Morehead City.
Miss Cora A. Thompson, St. Paul's, Goldsboro.
Miss Mattie Bizzell, Goldsboro, Young Woman's Missionary Society.
Miss Mary Spence, Goldsboro, Young People.

Wilmington District—

Mrs. Kate C. Shaw, Wilmington, Grace Auxiliary.
Mrs. J. K. Bryant, Wallace.

Miss Elizabeth Koonce, Richlands.
Mrs. D. O. Daniel, Southport.
Mrs. M. J. Fowler, Fifth Street, Wilmington.
Miss Eunice Tucker, Ida Hankins Missionary Society, Wilmington.
Mrs. George Farrar, Fifth Street, Young People's Missionary Society.
Mrs. H. E. Goodwin, Young People, Wilmington.

DURHAM DISTRICT—

Mrs. H. A. Foushee, Trinity Church.
Mrs. S. W. Venable, Memorial Church.
Mrs. J. A. Dailey, West Durham.
Mrs. J. G. Moore, Young People, Durham.
Mrs. L. C. Richardson, Young Women, Durham.
Mrs. J. E. Stagg, Memorial, Durham.
Mrs. F. M. Carlton, Bright Jewels, Durham.
Miss Estelle Flowers, Young People, Memorial.

WARRENTON DISTRICT—

Miss Marion Boyd, Warrenton.
Mrs. I. N. Deanes, Murfreesboro.
Mrs. T. D. Holly, Colerain.
Mrs. W. A. Graham, Warrenton.
Mrs. W. L. Lyon, Windsor.
Mrs. A. M. Newsom, Littleton.
Mrs. A. M. Inge, Weldon.
Mrs. H. B. Knox, Winton.
Mrs. E. W. Carter, Enfield.
Mrs. I. C. Rowland, Henderson.
Miss Leona Hicks, Littleton College.

WASHINGTON DISTRICT—

Mrs. J. L. Robertson, Nashville.
Mrs. M. Bradshaw, Wilson.
Mrs. C. D. Hooks, Fremont.
Miss Annie P. Sledge, Tarboro.
Mrs. W. A. Thompson, Aurora.
Mrs. S. A. Marshbourn, Spring Hope.

Mrs. R. B. John, Conference president, being unable to attend, Mrs. Hume R. Steele, educational secretary of the Council, conducted the devotional exercises.

The Conference was called to order by Mrs. Steele and "Praise God, from Whom all blessings flow," was sung, followed by the Creed and the Lord's Prayer in concert.

The consecration hymn 355 was sung. We were then led in prayer by Mrs. Steele. This was a most earnest prayer for our work and for the great responsibility placed upon us. A fervent plea to our dear Heavenly Father to guide and bless our Council officers, our Conference officers, our missionaries, both at home and abroad.

The Scripture lesson was taken from the tenth chapter of Mark, 17th to 27th verses. The thought was so beautifully brought out that "Life is only sacred relationship to God," and "that it is not what we do, but what we are."

Special emphasis was laid upon the 21st verse, "Come, take up thy cross and follow me," and the 27th verse, "With men it is impossible, but not with God; for with God all things are possible." She asked that we examine our own hearts and lives and see what is the *one* thing lacking.

The bar of the Conference was next fixed. The first six seats were reserved, and the delegates were seated by districts.

Rules of order were read by the secretary.

Each district secretary was asked to call the delegates from her district together at the noon hour, and that one woman from each district be selected to constitute the nominating committee.

When the hour arrived for the president's message, Mrs. Steele announced that because of the unavoidable absence of Mrs. John, this would have to be postponed until a later time.

Upon motion of Mrs. S. H. Scott, seconded by Mrs. N. H. D. Wilson, telegrams of love and sympathy were sent to Mrs. F. B. McKinne, Louisburg, N. C.; Mrs. R. A. Willis, Elizabeth City, N. C., and Mrs. L. M. Hendren, New Bern, N. C.

Miss McKinnon moved that a complete roll of delegates and auxiliary officers be made and handed in at once.

The time for the noonday devotional services having arrived, announcements were made, after which Rev. R. C. Craven conducted the exercises. Hymn 635 was sung. The subject was the "Macedonian Call," and he showed us that now, as then, the

call was from the West, when Japan, China, and others were calling to America to "come over and help."

Mrs. N. H. D. Wilson closed with prayer, after which the benediction was pronounced by Rev. R. C. Craven.

THURSDAY—AFTERNOON SESSION.

The Conference was called to order by Mrs. Steele. Hymn 653 was sung.

The devotional exercises were conducted by Mrs. W. H. Speight. The 13th chapter of First Corinthians was read, and the great subject of "Love to God and our fellowman" was clearly brought out.

This was followed by a prayer of praise and thanksgiving to God for all His manifold blessings to us.

On account of Mrs. Ida T. Wilkins, our superintendent of supplies, being compelled to leave, her report was called for, read, and adopted. [Officers' reports, No. 6.]

As usual, Mrs. Wilkins gave us some very touching incidents relating to her work.

After a few remarks from Mrs. Steele, a motion was made by Mrs. Shaw of Wilmington, and seconded by Mrs. J. G. Fearing, that boxes be pledged by delegates for needy preachers in our Conference. The following auxiliaries pledged boxes for the year:

Grace Street Church (adult), Wilmington.

Edenton Street Church (adult), Raleigh.

Young Woman's Missionary Society, First Church, Elizabeth City.

St. Paul's Auxiliary, Goldsboro.

Laurinburg Auxiliary (adult).

Trinity Church (adult), Durham.

Central Auxiliary, Raleigh.

Lumberton Auxiliary, Lumberton.

Henderson Auxiliary, Henderson.

Warrenton Auxiliary, Warrenton.

Enfield Auxiliary, Enfield.

Kinston Auxiliary, Kinston.

Memorial Church (adult), Durham.

Trinity Church (Young Woman's), Durham.

Wanchese Auxiliary, Wanchese.
Wallace Auxiliary, Wallace.
Southport Auxiliary, Southport.
Young People's Auxiliary, Roxboro.
Bright Jewels of Richlands.
Tarboro Auxiliary, Tarboro.
Young Woman's, Fifth Street, Wilmington.
Ida Hankins Young People's Society, Grace Street, Wilmington.
Young People's Society of Southport.
Philadelphia Auxiliary of Sunbury.
St. John's Auxiliary of Goldsboro.
Colerain Auxiliary, Colerain.
Washington Auxiliary (adult), Washington.
Young Woman's Society of Rocky Mount.
A total of 28 boxes.

The next business was the appointment of committees.

Committee on Extension Work—Miss Sallie Lou McKinnon, chairman; Mrs. B. N. Mann, Mrs. J. N. Winslow, Miss Vara Herring, Mrs. H. J. Faison, Mrs. Nettie Allen, Miss Georgia Biggs, Mrs. R. H. Willis, Mrs. W. P. Baugham, Mrs. W. F. Murphy, Miss Ella Harris, Mrs. C. C. Aycock, Miss Ruby Austin, Mrs. J. K. Bryant, Mrs. W. O. Bullock, Mrs. G. H. Biggs, Mrs. T. B. Holly, Mrs. William Hill, Mrs. N. B. Moore, Mrs. W. P. Martin, Mrs. J. W. Parker, Mrs. Sallie Summerlin, Mrs. S. H. Scott, Mrs. B. W. Thatch, Mrs. James Whitaker, Mrs. D. S. Wade, Mrs. W. E. Thompson, Mrs. G. Womble, Mrs. H. A. Foushee, Mrs. D. O. Daniels, Mrs. J. A. Daily, Mrs. W. H. Brown, Mrs. H. E. Scott.

Committee on Young People's Work—Miss Lillie Duke, chairman; Mrs. T. C. Powell, Miss Eunice Blair, Miss Leona Hicks, Miss Estelle Flowers, Mrs. Herbert Goodwin, Mrs. D. O. Daniels, Miss May Floyd, Miss Hattie Griffin, Miss Mary Spence, Miss Sara McGee, Miss Kate High, Miss Erie Massey, Miss Lelia Straughn, Miss Mollie Brown, Miss Cora Siler, Mrs. G. G. Martin, Miss Della Newby, Miss Wilma Stansill, Miss Eunice Tucker, Mrs. N. J. Moore, Miss Bessie Hearney, Miss Addie Thatch, Miss Bonnie Grantham, Miss Chat Ratcliff, Miss Lillie Parrish, Mrs. K. L. Street.

Committee on Children's Work—Mrs. N. H. D. Wilson, chairman; Mrs. J. A. Harrell, Mrs. A. M. Newsome, Mrs. W. H. Neal, Miss May Smith, Miss Marion Boyd, Mrs. J. A. Daily, Miss Estelle Moore, Mrs. H. A. Bynum, Mrs. H. A. Humble, Mrs. R. F. Homer, Miss Elizabeth Koonce, Mrs. G. W. Martin, Mrs. J. H. McCracken, Mrs. J. H. Wilkins, Mrs. J. A. Hornaday, Mrs. E. S. Dail, Mrs. I. N. Deans, Mrs. F. M. Carlton, Miss Eunice Pearsall, Mrs. J. E. Stagg, Mrs. H. E. Lance, Mrs. W. H. Shaw, Mrs. I. M. Holland, Mrs. George Spencer.

Committee on Social Service—Mrs. W. H. Speight, chairman; Mrs. I. C. Rowland, Mrs. M. Inge, Mrs. W. K. Jackson, Miss Daisy Green, Mrs. E. I. Pool, Miss Zora Culbreth, Mrs. E. Carter, Mrs. J. M. Darden, Mrs. L. D. Debnam, Mrs. C. H. Fore, Mrs. M. J. Fowler, Mrs. B. C. Gorham, Mrs. W. A. Graham, Mrs. J. B. Hooks, Mrs. C. D. Hood, Mrs. J. R. Hyatt, Mrs. Herbert Lyon, Mrs. J. W. Martin, Mrs. I. M. Procter, Mrs. J. A. Spiers, Mrs. J. H. McCracken, Miss Vara Herring, Miss Annie Sledge.

Committee on Finance—Mrs. B. B. Adams, Mrs. N. E. Edgerton, Mrs. M. Bradshaw, Mrs. John Bullock, Mrs. E. I. Pool, Mrs. R. G. Creech, Mrs. B. H. Creef, Mrs. Hattie Edwards, Mrs. Farrar, Mrs. J. G. Fearing, Mrs. Gill, Mrs. Goodwin, Mrs. A. L. Newberry, Mrs. Holland Pugh, Mrs. T. H. Sutton, Miss Cora Thompson, Mrs. W. A. Graham, Mrs. W. F. Martin, Mrs. L. C. Richardson, Mrs. E. R. Daniels, Mrs. B. C. Gorham, Mrs. I. Martin.

Committee on Courtesies—Mrs. R. C. Craven, Mrs. G. J. Mills, Mrs. J. P. Whitehead.

Nominating Committee—Raleigh District, Miss Nettie Allen; Wilmington District, Mrs. W. F. Murphy; Durham District, Mrs. B. N. Mann; Elizabeth City District, Mrs. J. N. Winslow; Fayetteville District, Mrs. B. C. Gorham; Rockingham District, Mrs. T. J. Gill; New Bern District, Mrs. H. J. Faison; Warrenton District, Mrs. A. M. Newsom; Washington District, Mrs. M. Bradshaw.

Committee on By-Laws and Standing Rules—Mrs. E. C. Duncan, Mrs. S. H. Scott, Mrs. B. B. Adams.

Committee on Resolutions—Miss Kate Blanchard, Mrs. J. E. Stagg, Mrs. J. G. Fearing.

Committee on Memoirs—Mrs. S. H. Scott, Mrs. I. M. Procter, Mrs. W. N. Neal, Mrs. Ida Wilkins.

After appointment of committees, the Conference was thrown open for discussion of the work.

The need of prompt reporting was one of the things most stressed. Mrs. Steele insisted that every auxiliary officer "report, even if they had no report." Let your Conference officer know that there is a living link at the other end of the line. She said: "You, the auxiliary officers, are the ones who are making the work possible; it is upon you we depend."

With a few announcements for the evening service, we adjourned to meet with different committees appointed for this hour.

FRIDAY—MORNING SESSION.

Mrs. H. J. Faison, secretary of the New Bern District, conducted the devotional service. The 53d chapter of Isaiah was read, and a most effective lesson she brought us from this chapter.

The Conference was called to order by the president, Mrs. R. B. John. The minutes were read and approved.

Telegrams full of loving greetings were read from Mrs. R. A. Willis, president emerita of the Conference, and from Mrs. Harvey Boney, third vice president of the Conference.

The following letter was read from the daughter of Bishop Wilson:

1601 PARK PLACE,
BALTIMORE, January 27, 1915.

MY DEAR MRS. JOHN.

My father has developed an attack of bronchitis, which under ordinary conditions will not wear off before Sunday. He is quite sick, without being critically ill, and entirely unable to preach next Sunday. He is much disappointed, as he loves to go to North Carolina. He has so many friends, and has received so much kindness there that he wants to serve whenever he can. But his cough would make it impossible. He says it is harder on him than on you, though it may not be easy for you to fill his place so late. He desires me to express his regret as strongly as possible, and sends his kindest wishes to the women of the Conference Society.

Very truly, NINA WILSON.

Mrs. James G. Fearing, who had acted as recording secretary during the first day of the Conference, resigned, and upon her motion Miss Edla Smith was elected to this place.

The annual message from our president was heard with keen pleasure. A message it was from a heart of love, portraying the urgent needs and possibilities of the great work before the North Carolina Conference. [Officers' reports, No. 1.]

The report of the corresponding secretary of the Foreign Department, Mrs. F. B. McKinne, was read by Mrs. J. A. Turner of Louisburg. The report was accepted. [Officers' reports, No. 8.]

Miss Sallie Lou McKinnon, corresponding secretary of the Home Department, read her report. The report accepted. [Officers' reports, No. 9.]

Treasurer of the Foreign Department, Mrs. B. B. Adams, gave her report. This is the first time in years we have failed to go forward in our figures in the Foreign Department.

The treasurer of the Home Department, Mrs. N. E. Edgerton, gave her report. An advance of $26 over last year was made in this department.

Upon motion, the reports of the two treasurers were accepted. [Officers' reports, Nos. 10 and 11.]

The following committee was appointed to examine the books of the district secretaries: Miss Mabel Tomlinson, Mrs. S. W. Venable, Mrs. Edgar Hart.

Mrs. E. C. Duncan, superintendent of publicity, gave her report, emphasizing the value of the Bulletin; also the urgent necessity of getting reports from the auxiliaries. The report was accepted. [Officers' reports, No. 7.]

Mrs. Hume R. Steele spoke of the importance of the Publicity Department.

Mrs. E. C. Duncan, editor of the *Raleigh Advocate* page, made a plea that the auxiliaries make better use of the woman's page.

A general discussion followed concerning our press work and literature.

Motion was made and carried that the literature for the different vice presidents and superintendents be sent to them respectively, and that other literature be put in the hands of the corresponding secretary.

The name of Miss Mary Elizabeth Edwards, a trained nurse, now in Goldsboro, was given by Mrs. Faison as a candidate for foreign work.

Mrs. H. J. Faison read the report for the New Bern District. The report was accepted.

Interesting reports were given from several auxiliaries in the New Bern District.

Miss Elizabeth Davis, a deaconess of our church, doing rescue work at Tampa, Florida, was introduced to the Conference.

The business session then adjourned for the noon Bible study, so ably conducted by Rev. R. C. Craven, pastor of First Church, Rocky Mount. The subject was "The Gospel of Christ Adequate to the World's Needs."

FRIDAY—AFTERNOON SESSION.

The devotional service was conducted by Miss Nettie Allen, secretary of the Raleigh District. Hymn No. 408 was sung. The 12th chapter of John was the Scripture lesson. Mrs. Steele led in prayer.

The president called the Conference to order.

The minutes were read and approved.

Our new laws and plans were clearly defined by Mrs. Hume R. Steele.

Miss Sallie Lou McKinnon read the report from the committee on extension of work. The recommendations made by this committee were adopted. [Committee reports, No. 7.]

Mrs. W. H. Speight, superintendent of social service, gave her report, which was adopted. [Officers' reports, No. 5.]

Mrs. Speight then read the resolution to Congress from the Woman's Missionary Council, which urged the passage of the antipolygamy bill now pending.

By a standing vote this resolution was adopted. [Resolutions, No. 2.]

Mrs. W. F. Murphy read the report of Mrs. Harvey Boney, third vice president, on Christian stewardship and mission study. Report accepted. [Officers' reports, No. 4.]

Mrs. E. C. Duncan read the report of the publicity committee. Report adopted. [Committee reports, No. 4.]

After the announcements were made, we were dismissed with prayer by Mrs. John.

SATURDAY—MORNING SESSION.

At 9:30 the memorial service was conducted by Mrs. S. H. Scott. "Asleep in Jesus" was sung. The 14th chapter of John was read by Mrs. W. F. Murphy.

Mrs. W. H. Shaw led in a most fervent prayer.

Mrs. N. E. Edgerton read a beautiful tribute to the cherished memory of Mrs. Laura Overman Mangum of Chapel Hill.

Mrs. S. H. Scott read a tribute to the memory of Mrs. George Henderson of Centenary Church, New Bern.

Mrs. Scott then read the names of our Conference members who during the year had entered into the life more abundant.

The Conference was called to order by the president. Minutes of previous session read and approved.

Mrs. B. B. Adams read the report of the finance committee, which was adopted after a thorough discussion. [Committee reports, No. 1.]

Mrs. W. F. Murphy read the report of the Wilmington District.

Miss Nettie Allen read the report of the Raleigh District.

Several of the Raleigh District auxiliaries told of their work, giving especial mention to the Blanche Fentress School of China. Several pledges were given to this school, as follows:

Local department, Edenton Street, Raleigh	$50.00
Grace Church, Wilmington	25.00
Roxboro Auxiliary	5.00
St. Paul's, Goldsboro	5.00
Wilson Auxiliary	5.00

Mrs. W. P. Baugham read the report of the Washington District.

Mrs. B. N. Mann read the report of the Durham District.

Miss Georgia Biggs gave the report of the Rockingham District.

Mrs. J. N. Winslow read the report of the Elizabeth City District.

The following telegram was received from the Woman's Missionary Society of the Western North Carolina Conference:

Charlotte, N. C., January 30, 1915.

Mrs. R. B. John,
President Woman's Missionary Society,
North Carolina Conference,
Rocky Mount, N. C.

Greetings from the Woman's Missionary Society of the Western North Carolina Conference in annual session in Tryon Street Church, Charlotte. See Hebrews 13:20, 21.

Mrs. Frank Siler,
Mrs. M. H. Stewart.

Miss Vara Herring of the Fayetteville District gave her report.

Mrs. R. H. Willis read the report of the Warrenton District.

Miss Lillie Duke gave the report of the "Young People's Work," and this was adopted. [Officers' reports, No. 2.]

Mrs. N. H. D. Wilson read the report of the "Children's Work." Report adopted. [Officers' reports, No. 3.]

After the announcements, Mr. Craven conducted the Bible study. He developed vividly the subject, "The love of Christ—the greatest fact and force of the world."

SATURDAY—AFTERNOON SESSION.

Devotional service conducted by Mrs. H. A. Foushee. The 19th Psalm was read. Mrs. M. Bradshaw led in prayer.

Conference called to order by the president. Minutes read and approved.

Miss Leona Hicks read the report for the committee on Young People's Work. Report accepted. [Committee reports, No. 2.]

Delegates from the Young People's Work gave interesting reports of their auxiliaries.

Mrs. T. A. Street of Roxboro took the chair and the nominating committee made the following nominations for the 1915 Conference officers:

For president, Mrs. R. B. John.

For first vice president, Miss Lillie Duke.

For second vice president, Mrs. N. H. D. Wilson.

For corresponding secretary, Miss Sallie Lou McKinnon.

For recording secretary, Miss May Edla Smith.

For treasurer, Mrs. N. E. Edgerton.

For superintendent study and publicity, Mrs. Harvey Boney.

For superintendent social service, Mrs. W. H. Speight.

For superintendent of supplies, Mrs. Ida T. Wilkins.

There being no nominations from the floor, the secretary was instructed to cast the ballots for the nominees, and they were elected.

A hearty rising vote of thanks was given to Mrs. B. B. Adams, who had been the efficient treasurer of the Foreign work for sixteen years.

Mrs. W. H. Speight read greetings which were to be sent from ✓ our Conference to the Social Service Conference in session at Raleigh.

Kinston was unanimously chosen as the next place of meeting.

Mrs. W. H. Shaw read the report from the committee on Children's Work, which was adopted. [Committee reports, No. 3.]

Mrs. S. W. Venable read the report for auditing committee, which was adopted. [Committee reports, No. 6.]

Report from the committee on resolutions was read by Miss Kate Blanchard. This report was adopted by a unanimous rising vote. [Resolutions, No. 1.]

A collection of $8.42 was taken for the sexton of the Rocky Mount Church.

Mrs. R. B. John read the report of the executive committee nominating the district secretaries and editor of *Advocate* page, as follows:

Durham—Mrs. B. N. Mann.

Elizabeth City—Mrs. J. N. Winslow.

Fayetteville—Miss Vara Herring.

New Bern—Mrs. H. J. Faison.

Raleigh—Miss Nettie Allen.

Rockingham—Miss Georgia Biggs.

Warrenton—Mrs. R. H. Willis.

Washington—Mrs. W. P. Baugham.

Wilmington—Mrs. W. F. Murphy.

Editor of *Advocate* page—Mrs. E. C. Duncan.

These true and tried officers were elected by acclamation.

Mrs. W. H. Speight read the report from committee on social ✓ service. Report adopted. [Committee reports, No. 5.]

The district secretaries made the following pledges for their districts for 1915:

Elizabeth City District	$1,200
Fayetteville District	600
New Bern District	1,500
Raleigh District	1,800
Rockingham District	2,500
Warrenton District	700
Washington District	1,500
Wilmington District	1,500
Durham District	1,300

The corresponding secretary was instructed to pledge at the Council meeting $15,000.

Miss Elizabeth Davis, deaconess of Tampa, Fla., told the Conference of some of her experiences in social service work.

Mrs. N. H. D. Wilson and Mrs. N. E. Edgerton were elected as alternates to attend the next meeting of the Council.

This ended the business of the third annual Conference of the Woman's Missionary Society of the North Carolina Conference.

We were dismissed, with prayer by Mrs. W. H. Shaw.

EVENING SERVICES

WEDNESDAY EVENING.

We were given a beautiful welcome to Rocky Mount, in a service of praise and music.

Mrs. R. C. Craven conducted the devotional service.

Rev. R. C. Craven, in fitting words, told the Conference of the desire of the church to give us the best welcome, therefore it was given through the medium of music.

The anthems and other selections by the Rocky Mount choir were indeed beautiful in themselves and were greatly appreciated as a sincere evidence of Rocky Mount's genuine hospitality and good-will.

At the conclusion of the service the Conference enjoyed an informal reception in the Sunday-school rooms.

THURSDAY EVENING.

The devotional service was conducted by Mrs. N. E. Edgerton.

A program given by the Young People's Auxiliary of Rocky Mount, depicting the heathen nations of the world appealing to Christian America, was vividly portrayed. The anthems by the First Church choir were much enjoyed.

Miss Leila Judson Tuttle, teacher in the McTyiere School at Shanghai, China, and a native of North Carolina, gave the address of the evening. This was an earnest appeal to Christian America. Her sincere loyalty to China was beautifully expressed and made real to the large audience some of China's true conditions.

FRIDAY EVENING.

Devotional service conducted by Rev. R. C. Craven.

The address of the hour was delivered by Mrs. Hume R. Steele, our educational secretary.

Never has this Conference seen a clearer revelation of the wide scope of our mission fields and never have we heard a more distinct call of the world's needs.

SUNDAY SERVICES

MORNING.

At 11 o'clock the attractive Rocky Mount Church was crowded to hear the sermon given us by Rev. R. C. Craven, pastor of the church. And certainly no one in the large congregation went away disappointed, for from the text, "Whatsoever He saith unto you, do it," there were given us many helpful lessons and a sermon that was a true inspiration.

AFTERNOON.

At 3 o'clock the Bright Jewels of the Rocky Mount Church gave a pleasing program.

Mrs. W. H. Speight conducted the devotional service, and Mrs. N. H. D. Wilson, in her own winning way, delighted the congregation, as well as the children, by her words of love and encouragement.

EVENING.

On account of the absence of some of the officers, the installation service was not held.

Rev. R. C. Craven gave us a helpful talk, and the communion service was a fitting close to the Conference.

MEMOIRS

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[No. 1.]

LAURA OVERMAN MANGUM

On November 3, 1914, the gentle spirit of our sister, Mrs. Laura Overman Mangum, passed from earth to the place prepared for God's children.

From childhood her heart and thought turned heavenward, and she lived as one seeing Him who is invisible.

As the wife of an itinerant Methodist preacher—the Rev. Adolphus W. Mangum, D.D.—she shared with a brave and cheerful heart the trials and sacrifices peculiar to that position, and wherever she went left the impress of her noble Christian life. In an especial manner her sympathies and activities were enlisted in the cause of Foreign Missions, and as a member of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society she manifested great interest in its work and was ready to serve wherever she could.

Realizing the great importance of laying a foundation for efficient service in youth, she was especially drawn to children, and for over thirty years was a most valuable teacher of the infant class in the Sunday-school.

When the beloved Aunt Mary began to organize Bright Jewel bands for missionary work, she was one of the first to accept the position of lady manager, and most faithfully and lovingly did she give herself to this beautiful work until failing health compelled her reluctantly to give it into the hands of others. To the very end of life, however, her zeal and interest were unabated.

In every relation of life she was true and faithful, and in the service of her Heavenly Father she gave the unswerving loyalty and devotion of a heart filled with love for all God's creatures.

No higher encomium can be given to her than that of the Master to the woman of old: "She hath done what she could."

In her quiet, retiring service she set in motion influences which shall be as lasting as eternity.

While we mourn her loss, let us thank God for her life and look forward to a joyful meeting in the Great Beyond.

L. M. HENDREN.

[No. 2.]

MRS. GEORGE HENDERSON

The Woman's Missionary Society of Centenary Church, New Bern, is greatly bereft in the death of Mrs. George Henderson, which sad event occurred April 23, 1914.

As a charter member of the Foreign Missionary Society, she entered upon its duties with a heart glowing with love and zeal for the cause. These increased as the years went by, and she counted no sacrifice too great by which the interest of the work could be advanced.

About five years ago, our Bright Jewel Society being in a rather inactive condition, she was prevailed upon to take it in charge, and, though physically unequal to its demands, gave it such untiring thought and attention that it became our joy and pride. A year ago failing health compelled her reluctantly to give it into other hands. But her love for and interest in the work continued to the end—one of her last acts being to send an Easter card to each member with words of loving remembrance.

As a token of appreciation of her work and in her memory, the Bright Jewels have caused to be placed in the Centenary Church a beautiful pulpit lamp, whose radiance, Sabbath after Sabbath, shall be expressive of the light and joy that she continually shed around her—increasing more and more until the perfect day. Truly her light so shone that others, seeing her good works, will glorify her Father who is in heaven.

L. M. HENDREN.

[No. 3.]

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON MEMOIRS

It is with sadness that we record that since our meeting a year ago some of our dear members have been called from earthly labor to their reward.

In life they were ever ready to do the work of their Master.

Whilst we mourn our loss, may we so live that when the final summons comes we may hear the same welcome, "Enter into the joys of thy Lord." The names of the departed are:

Mrs. LAURA OVERMAN MANGUM
Chapel Hill

Mrs. GEORGE HENDERSON
New Bern

Mrs. T. J. HARDING

Mrs. A. L. WELLS
Washington

Mrs. L. O. HAYES
Fremont

Mrs. T. H. SUTTON
Fayetteville

Mrs. FERGUSS
Wilmington

Mrs. CARRIE BURRUS
Southport

Mrs. MARY COCHRAN

Mrs. H. D. WHITFORD

Mrs. D. B. ZOLLICOFFER
Pollocksville

Mrs. A. H. O'BRIEN
Maxton

Mrs. J. M. CROSS
Sunbury

From the Junior Division:

MINNIE B. PIERCE
Weldon

LESLIE P. HOWARD, Jr.
Durham

Therefore be it *Resolved*, That the Woman's Missionary Society of the North Carolina Conference extend deepest sympathy and love to families of deceased. May God send His spirit to each stricken heart.

MRS. S. H. SCOTT, *Chairman.*

OFFICERS' REPORTS

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[No. 1.]

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE.

The meeting now in session marks the close of the second year of united missionary work on the part of the women of the North Carolina Conference. Might we but consume the time, a comparative study of these two years with their differing conditions would be of interest to us. Many had misgivings at the beginning of the union. For the most part, those misgivings were born of zeal for the work as we had followed it, mixed perhaps with our natural reluctance to any change of methods. Hardships, too, came upon us in the service of that first year; but they only bent us the more to the task.

Misgivings, however, and the remembrance of hardships, were all laid aside when upon coming together at the year's close we found from the reports on every hand that the work had not only grown in both departments, but had gone forward at almost equal and even pace. We bowed our hearts in thanksgiving, and confidence was confirmed in the wisdom of the plan we had followed.

And so it came about that we entered upon the second year of united work with a new degree of love, and added firmness of purpose for the fulfilling of the larger outlook we had gained. The prospect was fair, and your officers took certain advance steps in plans looking to fuller concert of action. We felt sure that, God helping us, we were to have the very best year of our history.

That a time so straitened should come upon the earth we had not thought possible in this our day of Christian civilization. This is neither the time nor the place to set forth reasons or causes for the conditions of the day, but every life is called upon to face the crisis. No smallest hamlet, no farm, however remote, no family of our Southland but has some little part of the great war burden to bear. If ever we doubted that we are just one big world-community, surely our minds are disabused of that doubt now; and it may be that the larger brotherhood toward which we are all too slowly moving shall the sooner dawn. Certain it is that a great sobering time has come to us, and we ought to get from it the right measure of both our faith and our obligation. Along with the rest of the Christian world, a time of testing is upon us, too—upon each one for herself.

Whom, under the stress, have we put first—God or ourselves?

We cannot answer that question wholly in dollars and cents; but if when the reports are read in your hearing there should be keen disappointment, may we not in deep humility ask, "Have we done all that we might? Have we put God and His cause *first?*"

It is in this serious frame of mind, then, that we enter upon the new year.

NEW CONSTITUTION.

Slightly changed, but simpler and more comprehensive plans of operation under which to work are given us. While we are ready, I think, for this final step in the progress of union, we shall need to acquaint ourselves with the details of change. As Conference, district, and auxiliary leaders, we need accurate and sympathetic knowledge of the new plan of work. Ample time is allotted on our

program for full explanation and discussion of the new constitution and by-laws. We may not approve of every provision; the plan may be far from perfect. Nevertheless, it records the latest step of the progress the organization has made. Certain it is that the plan under which we begin this new year is not an arbitrary frame-up, but is just a conscientious interpretation of growth reduced to a system that will foster further growth. As such, I am sure it will receive our earnest support.

LEADERSHIP.

Perhaps the larger number of us who are gathered here today are charged with the privilege and responsibility of leadership. Not one of us feels that she has done her very best. Your Conference secretaries and president, from the places they fill, have had opportunity to look out over the districts and auxiliaries, and have found much faithfulness, and much excellent work done. Particularly do I wish to speak of the very efficient district secretaries who have served during the past year. The real burden of the work has fallen heaviest on them.

We were fortunate to have Mrs. S. S. Harris with us for the district meetings, and from nearly all of these came gratifying reports.

Just after Mrs. Harris had made the round, I asked her for full and frank criticism of our Conference work. She had many things to say that were good, but thought our weakest place to be the auxiliary, particularly the auxiliary monthly meeting. Many of us appear to be in that easy, deadly place—the rut. Not enough life, not enough variety which is the result of life.

Maybe the rut is not very deep in some auxiliaries; maybe it is in others. Oh! but there is a magic ladder by which to climb out, and it will fit every auxiliary equally well. Let me give it to you here and now. It is just this: the development of our membership. Too often we as leaders fall into the rut of doing things ourselves with the same helpers, just because it is easier that way. Oftentimes by so doing we rob others of both the benefit and the joy of service. I believe the thing above all others for which we should strive this year is the development of our membership. Educational processes are slow, sometimes even painful; but we must not grow weary in applying them. The results abundantly pay. I believe also that there is some place of activity for every normal member of the auxiliary. It may be my business or yours to find it for her, but with the spirit of love ruling us, we can and ought to do it. The biggest task before us, as leaders, is this developing of our membership—development of the woman for her soul's sake, development of her talents for the work's sake.

INCREASED MEMBERSHIP.

A natural outgrowth of increased intelligence on the part of our present membership will be multiplied members. Certainly out of the more than 86,000 Methodists in the North Carolina Conference, the Missionary Society can boast no large per cent of the women who go to help make up that great body. Might we not inaugurate a "get one" campaign, and thus at least double our membership during this year?

FINANCIAL AIM.

The progress and plans of no organization can be discussed wholly apart from its finances. The day of small things has passed from us. It was necessary to make a beginning, and we despise not that time; but as we have been blessed with growth, so has need for the

maintenance of growth increased also. Our banner year so far was 1913, when the whole amount raised was nearly $39,000. With a total of $3 per member for Stated Dues, Relief and Retirement, and Conference Expense Funds, and a pledge of $15,000, we ought this year, by adding our specials, week of prayer, and the local work—putting together all these, we ought to reach $50,000. Though the time be heavy, yet has not God kept us from the strife? Has not He prospered us? Could we not pour Him out a worthy thank-offering?

And we build not for today, but for the little ones who shall pass this way tomorrow.

Hast heard of the bridge builder old, who having crossed safe to the other side, stopped him to build a bridge good and strong that might span the sullen tide?

"'Old man,' said a fellow pilgrim near,
'You are wasting your strength with building here;
Your journey will end with the ending day;
You never again will pass this way;
You've crossed the chasm deep and wide,
Why build you this bridge at evening tide?'

"The builder lifted his old gray head:
'Good friend, in the path I have come,' he said,
'There followeth after me today
A youth whose feet must pass this way.
This chasm that has been as naught to me,
To that fair-haired youth may a pitfall be;
He, too, must cross in the twilight dim.
Good friend, I am building this bridge for him.'"

[No. 2.]

YOUNG PEOPLE'S WORK.

It is difficult to realize that the time has come when we are again permitted to assemble in our annual meeting. Here, by coöperation, interest, and love, may we not hope to obtain a larger vision concerning the needs of our Lord's Kingdom and consider plans and methods by which those needs can best be met, thereby equipping ourselves for a larger and more efficient service?

President Wilson has said: "The beauty of responsibility is that it sometimes, by the grace of God, makes a man bigger than he was naturally born to be." It is so with many of us. We realize our inability and weakness, but we dare not shirk responsibility; we, therefore, grapple with the greatness of the task before us, and as a result our will power is strengthened, our capacity is enlarged, and our character is developed until we really are "bigger than we were born to be."

This past year has been a good one in the work of the young people. It has been a source of joy and inspiration to see that while formerly the increased growth and interest have been confined to but few of the societies, this year a marked change has taken place in the life of many auxiliaries, and a better understanding of the work as a whole is evident in all.

The old saying that 'When we know, we will do" is still true, as is proved by one auxiliary of nine members. Last year they reported only $6.10, while this year we find $30.35 to their credit. To be sure, we do not measure success by the financial side alone, yet we

do feel that in missionary work especially is it true that while "we may give without loving," it is impossible "to love without giving."

Particularly do I wish to impress upon every first vice president in the Conference the important fact that *now* is your day of opportunity. Your motto is, "Whatsoever He saith unto you, do it." At least six young people may be found in almost every church. Are they not worth winning? Have you sought them?

I wish also to urge that each Young People's Society strive for a place on the "honor roll." While this may seem simple, you will soon be convinced that it requires an effort on the part of each individual member to reach the standard of promptness, faithfulness, and efficiency.

We owe especial thanks to the Council leaders for the very attractive literature and year-book which have been prepared by them for the use of the young people in 1915, and to our beloved first vice president of the Council we are especially indebted for our pin and pennant. The pin is a little beauty. Its message, "Youth, Purity, and Eternal Truth," should inspire us to nobler thoughts and higher ideals of life, while the word "Loyalty," standing out so pure and white on our pennant, should keep our feet steady in the path of duty.

We need to understand more clearly that the "Specials" assigned each year by the Woman's Missionary Council constitute the pledge for the young people. Our "Specials" for 1915 are the Sue Bennett Memorial School at London, Ky., and the schools at Songdo and Seoul, Korea. I am asking the young people of this Conference to give this year for these "Specials" $1,000. They can do it, and I believe they will.

Our statistical report shows that a few auxiliaries have disbanded during the year and two have become adult societies. This means that we are beginning the new year weaker in numbers, yet we are stronger in other ways which in a large measure compensate for the loss.

On the whole, our finances were not so good as last year, but out of 43 auxiliaries 16 have averaged from $2 to $6 per capita; this proves that our young people are interested and are at work. We therefore feel encouraged, and we believe that the coming year will witness even better things at the hands of our young people.

STATISTICAL REPORT.

Number of districts in Conference	9
Number of Young People's Auxiliaries	42
Number added during year	8
Number of members	971
Number of Auxiliaries disbanded	9
Number of auxiliaries becoming adults	2
Number reporting during the year	40
Literature distributed	15,000
Letters written	350

MISS LILLIE DUKE,
Conference First Vice President.

Districts.	Dues.		Pledge.		Retirement and Relief.		Conference Fee.		Week of Prayer.		Laredo, McTyiere.		Scarritt Bible Training School.		Scholarship.		Totals.		Totals, Home and Foreign.
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Durham District:																			
2 auxiliaries, 35 members	$ 6.25	$12.50	$ 3.90	$27.60	$ 0.60	$ 1.00	$ 1.65	$ 3.90	$ 2.65	$ 2.65	$ 6.00	$ 6.00	$ 1.00	$ 1.00	$	$	$ 22.05	$ 54.65	$ 76.70
Elizabeth City District:																			
5 auxiliaries, 74 members	11.27	14.66	9.40	9.45	.95	.95	2.87	3.73					1.00	1.00			25.49	29.79	55.28
Fayetteville District:																			
1 auxiliary, 36 members	3.64	3.65															3.64	3.65	7.29
New Bern District:																			
5 auxiliaries, 115 members	66.84	66.95	52.05	65.40	3.06	3.67	4.02	5.76		2.65		2.25	1.15	2.98		40.00	127.12	189.57	316.69
Raleigh District:																			
7 auxiliaries, 149 members	23.39	102.96	42.17	225.94	2.30	5.65	2.75	18.50		11.65			3.00	6.60		80.00	73.61	451.30	524.91
Rockingham District:																			
*12 auxiliaries, 217 members	86.77	90.35	95.93	294.62	3.79	4.26	10.96	13.89	11.00	9.30	10.00	8.10	2.00	2.00	40.00	230.00	260.45	652.52	912.97
Warrenton District:																			
3 auxiliaries, 62 members	7.05	25.40	1.00	20.00			.25	.25						*15.75		40.00	8.30	101.40	109.70
Washington District:																			
3 auxiliaries, 57 members	7.50	7.81	1.27	6.28	.75	.83	.25	.25			4.00	6.00					13.77	21.17	34.94
Wilmington District:																			
5 auxiliaries, 226 members	13.82	13.88	22.42	21.43	1.10	1.10	1.82	2.03	1.00	1.00	1.00						41.16	39.44	80.60
Totals																	575.59	1,543.49	2,119.08

*Miss Green's salary.

[No. 3.]

REPORT OF THE SECOND VICE PRESIDENT.

We have heard a great deal about converting the heathen in this generation. Many eloquent and inspiring addresses have been made on the subject, and still, sad to relate, the glad day seems very far away. Mr. John R. Pepper says: "I verily believe that the heathen nations can be converted to the religion of Jesus Christ in one generation, if the church will rear a generation to do the work." Mr. Pepper, as it seems to me, has indeed struck the keynote. The reason the world has not been converted during this generation is that the Church has failed to rear the past generation for the great task before them.

To me the Children's Missionary Society is one of the most important parts of our church work. Yet in many of the churches it is the most neglected part of the work. What a great opportunity is before us, and how inspiring the task given to us, the training of the children of this generation for the day in the near future when they shall go forward, a great army of Christian soldiers under the banner of the Cross, bearing palms of victory before them.

Miss Belle Brain gives us three great reasons why children should be trained in this important work:

(1) For the good of the child itself. And indeed it does mean a great deal for the children, giving them a broad outlook on life, helping them to understand God's plan for the salvation of the world and their own place in that plan.

(2) For the sake of what the child can accomplish for the cause. And children have accomplished great things already. The aggregate amount of the children's mites has been large. God has heard their prayers and rewarded their faith, and the children's offerings have fed a mighty multitude.

(3) To fit the child for the responsibilities of the future. Here our work becomes important. If we want to see the world brought to Christ in the next generation, now is our time to work. God grant that 1915 may see every church in our Conference with a live, working Bright Jewel Band, with the very best woman of the church leading it. I call on each of you to help us to bring this to pass.

Nineteen-fourteen started out well, the first two quarters being much in advance of the preceding year. But before the time for the reports for the third quarter were due every one was talking hard times and war, and of course we fell behind. But when our faithful second vice presidents found how far behind we were, they determined to bend every effort and raise the pledges if possible. The end of the last quarter found us victorious. We had raised our pledges in full, and in spite of hard times, can report a slight increase over last year. Let us thank God and take courage.

It gives me great pleasure to tell you that Grace Church, Wilmington, gets both the banner for the greatest amount and the banner for the greatest increase in membership. I have seen with my own eyes the faithful work of this band and the untiring effort of their skillful leader, Mrs. W. H. Shaw, and know that they richly deserve the honor. They raised $194.99. Memorial Church, Durham, comes very close behind, $184.90. Laurinburg also deserves honorable mention, with $176. The banner for the greatest amount per member goes to Franklinton, they having raised $3.45 per member. Memorial and Laurinburg follow, each, $2.84; while little Pantego, always deserving to be on the honor roll, raised $2.58. The Baby Division which wins the banner "for the best Baby Division" is Centenary, New Bern.

Our total report shows:
Baby divisions, 46, with 659 enrolled.
Junior divisions, 109, with 3,284 enrolled.

Raised by the Baby divisions—Dues	$ 59.25
Mite boxes	130.05
Specials	1.15
Sent direct to Mrs. Edgerton	27.45
Total	$217.90

As I do not know the societies which sent the amounts to the district secretaries, who sent this amount to Mrs. Edgerton, it has been impossible for me to give them credit.

Raised by Junior divisions—Dues	$ 1,075.02
Mites	1,641.66
Home specials	10.10
Cary Bible Woman	20.00
Elizabeth Stagg scholarship	40.00
Other foreign specials	50.46
Memorial roll and other miscellaneous amounts	23.12
Total	$ 2,860.36
Raised by Baby divisions	217.90
Grand total	$ 3,078.26

Only 410 subscribers to the *Young Christian Worker* were reported, but I feel sure that there are more than that. Surely there ought to be many more. I can hardly see how a successful band can be conducted without the assistance of this valuable paper.

We feel that we have had a good year, though the failure of some of our old bands to report has brought sadness to our hearts. I trust with the new year they will reorganize and try again. I want to thank the second vice presidents for their faithful work. With few exceptions, they have been true to their trust and have given willing service regardless of the apparent lack of sympathy and help from the woman's auxiliaries and from many of the mothers. May God bless those who lead and train our children, and may their reward be glorious.

For two years the children's department has been paying its own expenses out of special funds. We decided on this plan because it complicated matters to try to get the children to pay a separate Conference expense fund.

This year I would recommend that the Conference Society pay the expenses of the children's department and allow all the children raise to go to the work they support. I would also recommend that the woman's auxiliaries be asked to take greater interest in the children's work. Third, that the district secretaries coöperate with the Conference second vice president and help her to organize new bands in their districts. Fourth, that a greater effort be made to secure subscribers to the *Young Christian Worker*. Fifth, that a membership campaign be pressed in March in the bands already at work, and that a vigorous effort be made to organize new bands. Especially I would urge that where bands have ceased to report, the auxiliaries be asked to look into the matter, see that the most competent leader possible be put in charge, and that the band be reorganized.

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. N. H. D. WILSON.

[No. 4.]

SUPERINTENDENT OF STUDY AND PUBLICITY.

The year just closing has been one of marked advance in mission study and Christian stewardship, but figures are very inadequate to show what has really been accomplished. The greatest encouragement has come from the correspondence and the many requests for information concerning the work. Several auxiliaries have written that they had not organized a study class the past year, but would this spring.

Fifty-two adult and young people, with 723 members and 5 juvenile mission study classes, were reported, while 15 women deprived of this group study were reported to be reading the books.

The idea of district libraries was discussed considerably the past quarter, but with few exceptions it was found to be unpopular. However, eight auxiliary libraries were reported.

There have been numerous requests concerning Bible study, but only three regular Bible study classes were reported. Yet four Bible classes in the Sunday-school were reported to render a special class unnecessary.

Christian stewardship has been presented quarterly in sixteen auxiliaries. A large number of pastors responded to the request to preach special sermons on Christian stewardship. We have never seen as much in religious papers, or heard as much from different pulpits, concerning stewardship, as has been advocated the past year. The country is truly awakening to the thought that we hold goods in trust for the Lord's service.

The use of the Missionary Bulletin and the printing of missionary items in secular papers are steadily gaining ground.

The supreme need of prayer circles has been emphasized, and five organized circles reported that they meet at a regular time for prayer, and four auxiliaries reported that the members each pray at the noon hour for the deepened prayer life of the members of our Conference.

I recommend that a very special effort be made to emphasize the work of the superintendent of publicity in this meeting, for, to my mind, the greatest success of the Conference financially, intellectually, and spiritually depends on study circles, Christian stewardship, and prayer.

I want to express my thanks and pleasure for having had this opportunity of service. It has been helpful and has made my own life fuller and better. The only regret is that I did not know at first the real needs of the various auxiliaries as I feel that I know them now. Thereby my services might have been of more benefit.

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. HARVEY BONEY.

[No. 5.]

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SOCIAL SERVICE.

In reporting the work of this department, I feel that there is no cause for gratulation. We have done something, it is true, but have not made the strong shoulder-to-shoulder movement which it was our duty and privilege to make.

No doubt there has been some advance in the promotion of those principles of civic righteousness which tend to the bringing in of the

Kingdom. But the work at the end of the quadrennium is not so well organized as its promoters no doubt hoped.

We women, touching only the hem of public life, naturally work along individual lines; we have yet to learn more fully the strength of *organization.*

Each little stream of effort and influence may cause some flowers to bloom in our own little valley; but think what a power they would make if united and running all together in one great river to make glad the waste places of our Father's vineyard, to lift up the heads and cheer the hearts of thousands of His burdened, discouraged, and sin-sick children.

It is admitted that women have helped in creating sentiment in all humanitarian movements, and it is true that her powers are enlarging, and that more and more she may influence legislation, and even without the ballot may help to bring about needed reforms.

In the beginning of the quadrennium, while there seemed such a world of work to be done, the wise women who guide on the Council warned that we should not undertake too much at one time. So they prepared studies and leaflets for each quarter. Our first studies related to housing and the suppressing of vice. Then we had the "Child at Play," and found that great improvement was needed.

There was small attention to where he played, or how he played. Some improvement has been made by enlarging, equipping, and supervising his play in some places; but in most places the slight supervision of the teachers at the short intermission given, and the hours of play when school is over, are not supervised or directed.

We studied him at work, and the cry of the children with its piteous appeal has brought about some reforms in the compulsory school law, the age when children may be employed in factories, the shortening of the hours of labor, etc.

But there still remains much to be done along these lines. The compulsory education law is incomplete without some arrangement for the free distribution of text-books, as many very poor families cannot provide them.

The shorter hours, without inspectors, are largely disregarded.

We then took up the "Delinquent and Dependent Child." We found groups of boys, *gangs,* from ill-directed homes, running together, were forming evil habits, cigarette smoking, crap shooting; were sometimes stoning buildings and even wantonly shooting with gun or pistol. These boys when taken up and convicted and put in jail with hardened criminals, found there a breeding place for crime instead of those influences which would tend to lead them into better lives.

The Jackson Training School and in some places probation officers are helping somewhat to relieve the situation.

What has been done for the child may not be directly the result of our study or work, but we thank God that we have been able to help by creating sentiment, and keeping the vital matters before the minds of those who make the laws that bring about reforms.

It is a great improvement to have physicians visit the schools and give attention to all physical conditions that might threaten; but we must keep alive to the fact that the peril of moral contamination must be watched even more carefully.

We have studied woman "In the Home," "In Industry," "In Public Activities," "In Religious Activities." We have seen some amelioration of the condition of the wage-earner, in laws requiring more sanitary conditions under which she may work and shorter hours of labor.

We have studied intemperance in its destroying relations to the home, the State, the Nation, and while we rejoice in State-wide prohibition, we deplore the fact that our Congress failed to pass the bill for Nation-wide prohibition.

Let us hope and pray that the day is not far distant when our Nation shall cease to sanction that which debases all that come under its influence.

Our last quarter's study was "The Social Evil." This, like the drink evil, must be fought at every turn. We must realize that girls and women have let go the high standard in dress and manners that would be their greatest protection, and that the simple girl from farm or factory is just as wild to appear in the latest fashions as her gay young sister. Those half-clad girls in the higher walks of life have a protection that is not in the environment of the others, and so the danger is greater to those who are really least to blame.

It is unsafe for girls and women to be on the streets at night unattended, especially in factory districts. Recreation is necessary; but it must be *sane*, sanitary, supervised.

There must be more homes like Vashti for the friendless girl, and more doors of hope for those who may be reclaimed. Else what is to become of fallen women, whether they be willing to reform or whether they continue to be vicious and a menace to all about them?

One has said, "There is no fallen woman without a fallen man." True, but the man hides his sin and holds his place in the world; the woman can only bear her shame and sink lower in the scale of existence. The time has come to open the door of hope to her or to compel him, too, to wear the scarlet letter. God's mercy is great enough to encompass both the man and the woman, though fallen; and, mind you, only he who was without sin was permitted to cast a stone.

Even now our General Assembly is aroused on this subject. Ministers, doctors, women, are pleading for some measure of relief. One asked the pertinent question, Why make the age of consent 14 or 18? Does law give consent to any other crime?

Doctors told of the appalling spread of disease and of lowering of vitality now abroad in the land—the result of this evil, and of the large percentage of blind and feeble-minded that are coming to be wards of the State from the same cause.

Women good and true plead for their fallen sisters, and the State should provide a home for them where those who wish to reform might find decent employment and where those who remain vicious might be restrained.

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. W. H. SPEIGHT.

[No. 6.]

MRS. WILKINS' REPORT.

Superintendent of Supplies.

DURHAM DISTRICT.

	Value.
West Durham, sent to Orphanage, 2 boxes	$ 27.00
Trinity, "Young Women's," sent to preacher, 1 box	50.00
Trinity, adult, sent to preacher, 1 box	90.00
Total	$ 167.00

RALEIGH DISTRICT.

	Value.
Louisburg, sent to Orphanage, 2 boxes	$ 41.50
Louisburg, sent to preacher, 1 box	15.00
Total	$ 56.50

ROCKINGHAM DISTRICT.

Laurinburg, Ellen Willis, sent to Orphanage, 2 boxes	$ 30.00
Fairmont, sent to Orphanage, 2 boxes	30.00
Hamlet, sent to Orphanage, 2 boxes	35.00
Total	$ 95.00

WILMINGTON DISTRICT.

Grace Church, sent to preacher, 2 boxes	$ 53.00
Wallace, sent to Brevard, 1 box	8.50
Total	$ 61.50

NEW BERN DISTRICT.

Centenary, sent to Orphanage, 4 boxes	135.00
Centenary, sent to preacher, 2 boxes	59.00
St. Pauls, Goldsboro, sent to Orphanage, 2 boxes	64.00
St. Pauls, Goldsboro, sent to preacher, 1 box	98.00
LaGrange, sent to Orphanage, 2 boxes	30.37
Total	$ 386.37

WASHINGTON DISTRICT.

Rocky Mount, sent to Orphanage, 6 boxes	$ 114.00
Farmville, sent to Orphanage, 2 boxes	64.00
Wilson, sent to preacher, 1 box	30.00
Total	$ 208.00

ELIZABETH CITY DISTRICT.

Gatesville, sent to Orphanage, 2 boxes	$ 21.00
Belhaven, sent to Orphanage, 1 box	12.50
Manteo, sent to Orphanage, 1 box	18.03
Total	$ 51.53

WARRENTON DISTRICT.

Henderson, sent to Orphanage, 4 boxes	$ 155.00
Warrenton, sent to Orphanage, 2 boxes	25.00
Warrenton, sent to Brevard, 1 box	12.50
Littleton, sent to Orphanage, 2 boxes	47.50
Littleton, sent to preacher, 2 boxes	25.00
Weldon, sent to Orphanage, 2 boxes	44.00
Weldon, sent to preacher, 2 boxes	25.00
Windsor, sent to Orphanage, 1 box	23.00
Winton, sent to Brevard, 1 box	6.00
Total	$ 363.00

	Value.
Total number sent to Orphanage, 41 boxes	$ 916.30
Total number sent to preachers, 13 boxes	445.00
Total number sent to Brevard, 3 boxes	27.00
Total number of boxes sent, 57	$1,388.30

I feel sure that other boxes have been sent to the Orphanage, but which were not reported to me.

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. IDA WILKINS,
Superintendent of Supplies.

[No. 7.]

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLICITY.

Madam President and Fellow-workers:

The year just closing has been a very busy one. Every month I have sent the Bulletin to the auxiliaries throughout our Conference—that is, I have tried to put these little messengers of the latest news from the field into the hands of *some one* in about two hundred auxiliaries. The expense of this work has been about equal to that of last year—a little more. There have gone out each month six hundred, making in round numbers something like seven thousand Bulletins sent for the year, besides many cards and letters.

Forty-seven press superintendents have been reported to me from the two hundred auxiliaries. To these were sent report blanks at the end of each quarter. From the forty-seven superintendents only six have reported to me. I have tried to do what I could, but feel that perhaps this is the most inefficient department of our work.

I would recommend that the superintendent of literature and the superintendent of mission study and publicity be one and the same. The literature to be sent out with the Bulletin each quarter.

Second. That each auxiliary be required to elect a superintendent of mission study and publicity, and that she be urged to use the Bulletin at her regular monthly meeting in the most attractive way possible.

Third. That the editor of the Woman's Page be relieved of any responsibility for the Bulletin and devote her time to the Woman's Page alone.

With these few recommendations, I present to the Conference my resignation as Superintendent of Publicity.

Very faithfully yours,

ALMA S. DUNCAN,
Superintendent of Publicity.

[No. 8.]

REPORT OF CORRESPONDING SECRETARY OF FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

Reporting time has come, and I find it hard in many ways. Figures show only a part of what has been accomplished.

I am glad to report a growth of fifteen new societies in our adult department; this is encouraging, even though we are far short of last year's figures financially. I am distressed over this, and yet we

all understand the unusual conditions. It is possible that we have prayed and sacrificed more than ever before to raise this. God knows our hearts, whether we have done all that it was possible for us to do.

But, dear friends, we have the New Year before us, and with fresh courage let us put ourselves unreservedly into the hands of our Father; let Him have His way with us entirely, and if He calls for larger gifts of service, of prayer life, of sacrifice of personal comforts and luxuries, let us give them with gladness and joy in the giving, remembering that the opportunities for service in the world today are ever enlarging and that surely we have come to the Kingdom for such a time as this. It is indeed a great privilege to share in the accomplishment of God's wonderful plans and purposes, even though it be He lay upon us some humble service; and if we be co-workers with Him and let Him fit us into His plans, it shall come to pass that we shall not disappoint Him either in the gift of self, which He wants first of all, or in the laying of our means upon His altar, which gift He accepts as the pledge of our love and loyalty to the service of His kingdom.

I accepted the office of corresponding secretary for the Foreign Department very reluctantly, knowing that it would not be easy to fill Mrs. Swindell's place. I did not feel that I was peculiarly fitted for the duties of this position, but there seemed no one else ready to assume those responsibilities during the transition period. As we expected, it has been deemed expedient, in order to more perfectly unite the work of the Foreign and Home departments, to consolidate the work under one general secretary. The wisdom of this step I do not question. Indeed, I think that Miss McKinnon and I have each felt that the best interest of both departments required this.

For these reasons, and because, it seems to me, God is calling me to a work that lies very close to my heart in my own town, a work among the boys and young girls—"a field already white unto the harvest"—I am asking to be released from the duties of office.

I regret that I cannot be with you in Rocky Mount and personally thank the several officers and the district secretaries for their generous coöperation and courtesy. I should like also to express my appreciation of your confidence and trust. I need not tell you why I am absent. I know that you will bear with me and understand that I write because I cannot do otherwise.

It is customary, I believe, for retiring officers to give some parting advice, or offer some suggestions regarding cherished plans. I have no wise counsel to offer, but my heart, which has recently sounded the depths of unfailing love, sends you this message: "God is Love."

As children of God, we should partake of His characteristics. We must love with a devotion that is as sincere as his who forgave his erring brother until seventy times seven. As far-reaching as His, who prayed "not for these alone, but for all of them which shall believe through their word."

Love that exhausts itself and expends all of its energies on some pet scheme, even though that scheme may be nothing less than foreign missions, is not perfect love. It has not reached its fullest development until it comprehends all. It cannot be circumscribed by rules. It knows no dividing lines. He who said, "Go ye into all the world and teach all nations," as emphatically said, "Beginning at Jerusalem."

It cannot be denied that in the physical world concentration gives force to a particular channel. Those who opposed uniting the work

of the Home and Foreign departments doubtless did so because they feared that diversified interests would result disastrously to one department or the other. But those fears have proved groundless. Physical laws do not apply in the kingdom of God. Even the conservative have seemed to hear a reassuring voice saying, "Not by might, nor by power, but by my Spirit, saith the Lord of Hosts."

MRS. F. B. MCKINNE,
Corresponding Secretary.

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE CORRESPONDING SECRETARY OF FOREIGN DEPARTMENT OF WOMAN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY OF THE NORTH CAROLINA CONFERENCE FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1914.

Number of districts	9
New auxiliaries—adults	15
New auxiliaries—Young People	2
New auxiliaries—Junior Division	6
Total new auxiliaries	23
New members—adult	387
New members—Young People	134
New members—Junior Division	39
Total new members	560
Adult auxiliaries	111
Auxiliaries—Young People	42
Auxiliaries—Junior Division	109
Baby Division	46
Total	308
Members—adult	3,155
Members—Young People	652
Members—Junior Division	3,284
Total members	7,091
Total baby enrollment	639
Life members	287
Honorary members	65
Life patrons	6
Subscribers to *Missionary Voice*	1,144
Subscribers to *Young Christian Worker*	420
Missionaries supported	13
Scholarships	17
Bible women	9
Widows' Home	1
Substations	5
Hospital (Mary Black, supported by Bright Jewels)	1
Day schools (Blanche Fentress, Mary Helm, Joy Hardie, Reavis)	4
Nurse Training School, Mary Black Hospital, Soochow, China	1
Amount pledged by Conference	$12,000.00
Amount raised on pledge	9,487.57
Total amount raised this year	16,915.66

NAMES OF SCHOLARSHIPS.

Mary Frances Hay, Wonsan, Korea. Supported by New Bern (Centenary) Auxiliary.

Emma Finlayson, Belle Horizonte, Brazil. Supported by Faison Auxiliary.

Mamie Barrett, Petropolis, Brazil. Supported by Young People of Franklinton.

Mary T. Pescud, Rio, Brazil. Supported by Mary Pescud Society of Edenton Street Church, Raleigh.

Minnie Mangum Wilson, Porto Allegre, Brazil. Supported by Maxton Young People's Auxiliary.

Della Bobbett, Soochow, China. Supported by Banks Chapel Auxiliary.

Bettie Vann, Songdo, Korea. Supported by Franklinton Young People, No. 2.

Lula Hester Rhodes, Mary Keener Institute, Mexico. Supported by Littleton College.

Elizabeth Stagg, Rio, Brazil. Supported by Bright Jewels of Memorial Church, Durham.

Lillian Gill, Petropolis, Brazil. Supported by Laurinburg Young People.

Annie Dixon, Wonsan, Korea. Supported by Goldsboro Young People.

Maude Jones, Soochow, China. Supported by Red Springs Young People.

Sarah Margaret Barnes, Petropolis, Brazil. Supported by Maxton Auxiliary.

Ella Martin Page, Petropolis, Brazil. Supported by Biscoe Young People.

Clara Martin, Songdo, Korea. Supported by Mrs. Frank Page.

Fannie Westbrook, Belle Horizonte, Brazil. Supported by Faison Auxiliary.

BIBLE WOMEN.

S. W. Humber, Soochow, China. Supported by Mrs. S. W. Humber.

Ethel Mercer, Soochow, China. Supported by Red Springs Auxiliary.

Fannie Wood Steele, Wonsan, Korea. Supported by Rockingham Young People.

Jessie Gray, Wonsan, Korea. Supported by Lumberton Young People.

Elizabeth Stanback, Soochow, China. Supported by Mount Gilead Young People.

Helen Clarke Fetts, China. Supported by Sanford Auxiliary.

Lou Hill Davis, Wonsan, Korea. Supported by Louisburg Auxiliary.

Beatrice Jenkins, Wonsan, Korea. Supported by Banks Chapel and Cary Auxiliaries.

Mary Harris, China. Supported by Mrs. J. A. Turner, Louisburg, N. C.

MISSIONARIES.

A few of the missionaries supported by the Conference Society:

Miss Madge Hendry, Davidson Memorial, Soochow, China. Supported by Laurinburg and Young People's Auxiliaries.

Miss Mary T. Pescud, Petropolis, Brazil.

Miss Elizabeth Lamb, Porto Allegre, Brazil.

Miss Ida Hankins, Seoul, Korea.

Miss Annie Clare Bradshaw, Huchow, China.

Miss Mattie Ivey, Seoul, Korea (should her health permit her return to the field).

[No. 9.]

REPORT OF THE CORRESPONDING SECRETARY OF THE HOME DEPARTMENT.

Number of auxiliaries	114
Number of new auxiliaries	13
Number of members	3,009
Number of new members	581
Number of life members	63
Number of subscribers to *Missionary Voice*	862
Amount of adult pledge	$1,911.46
Total amount of pledge (Adult Young People, Junior, and Baby divisions)	$2,850.88

My statistical report is brief, and I am afraid that these figures do not absolutely represent the facts, for throughout the year the district secretaries have written me that the work of the two departments has so overlapped that no figures could be accurate save those that had to do with money. So in the very cause of this inaccuracy I find cause for rejoicing. Those unnatural lines of demarcation between the different phases of our work have naturally obliterated themselves. The last year of the period of transition has come to a close and we enter the new period with joy and thanksgiving.

These statistics show an increase in number of auxiliaries and number of members, for which we rejoice; and yet I believe that our greatest cause for rejoicing does not lie so much in this outward growth of the organization as in the more intelligent understanding of the work that has come this year.

This growth along educational lines is evidenced in several ways.

This year, for the first time in the history of the Conference, district meetings were held in each of the districts. These were held shortly after the meeting of the Council, and Mrs. S. S. Harris and one or more of the Conference officers attended each of them. The good accomplished through these in giving the women in the auxiliaries a better understanding of the work as a whole is incalculable.

There has been an increase in mission study. The report of the third vice president shows a larger number of mission study circles in adult and young people's auxiliaries than has ever been reported before. Surely if "knowledge is power," there is great cause for rejoicing in this respect.

While our quarterly reports did not show that the proportional part of our budget was paid quarterly, as we had hoped it would be, yet there was a marked advance along this line, showing that our women are learning to do our work in a systematic way.

These things, that have come through education, show that we are building on a sound foundation and point to a permanent growth in the work. Gratifying as this is, I find a still greater cause for rejoicing in the splendid loyalty and consecration of the women of the North Carolina Conference which has caused them in this year of necessary economy to pay a larger pledge in the Home Department than they have ever paid before. We are growing in the spirit of giving; so, relying on the devotion and loyalty of our women to the cause of the Master and His work, I believe that we will meet the larger obligations that God has placed upon us this year as American women with a spirit of love and sacrifice. Therefore, I recommend that as a Conference we accept not only willingly but with joy the Council plan for financing the work.

In closing this report and in giving up this work, as I must do, I wish to express my gratitude to the women of this Conference and to the women of the Council for the coöperation, encouragement, and sympathy that they have shown me, an inexperienced officer. My life will always be richer because of this year of close fellowship with them which God has granted me.

Respectfully submitted,

SALLIE LOU MCKINNON,
Corresponding Secretary, Home Department.

[No. 10.]

TREASURER'S REPORT OF FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

STATEMENT OF WOMAN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY FOR YEAR 1914.

Dues:		
Adult	$ 2,839.91	
Young People	338.16	
Junior Division	537.51	
Baby Division	29.63	
		$ 3,745.21
Pledge:		
Adult	$ 7,716.94	
Young People	670.72	
Junior Division	1,021.08	
Baby Division	78.83	
		9,487.57
Scholarships:		
Lucy R. Williams (Gatesville)	$ 40.00	
Mary Pescud, Brazil (Raleigh)	39.25	
Della Bobbitt, Hoochow, China (Banks)	40.00	
Blanche Monroe, Brazil (Biscoe)	50.00	
Lula Hester Rhodes, Mexico (Littleton College)	40.00	
Mamie Barrett, Brazil (Franklinton)	40.00	
Ella Martin Page (Biscoe)	80.00	
Bettie Vann, Wonsan, Korea (Franklinton Y. P.)	40.00	
Clara Martin, Songdo, Korea (Mrs. F. Page)	40.00	
Margaret Brown Gates, Brazil (Gates County Miss. Inst.)	40.00	
Elizabeth Stagg, Rio, Brazil (Mem. Juniors, Durham)	40.00	
Lillian Gill, Petropolis, Brazil (Laurinburg)	40.00	
Annie Dixon, Wonsan, Korea (St. Paul Y. P., Goldsboro)	40.00	
Fannie Wood Steele, Wonsan, Korea (Rockingham)	60.00	
		629.25
Bible Women:		
Louise Hill Davis, Korea (Louisburg)	$ 60.00	
Mary Harris, China (Mrs. J. A. Turner)	60.00	
Rosana Humber-Hayes-Wilkins (Sanford)	60.00	
Beatrice Jenkins, Korea (one-half Cary Juniors and one-half Banks)	50.00	
S. W. Humber, China (Mrs. Humber)	60.00	
Ethel Mercer, China (Red Springs Y. P.)	40.00	
		330.00

Retirement Fund:		
Adult	$ 80.86	
Young People	17.46	
		$ 98.32
Scarritt Endowment Fund:		
Adult	$ 47.18	
Young People	13.49	
		60.67
Schools:		
Blanche Fentress School	$ 151.65	
Rio	4.95	
Reavis	225.00	
McTyiere	22.35	
Mrs. Parker's, China	48.55	
Joy Hardie	189.09	
Miss Lamb's	31.00	
		672.55
Specials:		
Adult—		
Miss Green's salary	$ 15.75	
Honorary life member	35.65	
Korean widows (Mrs. Stagg)	750.00	
Station Plan, Wonsan, Korea	50.00	
Week of Prayer	346.78	
Young People—		
Week of Prayer	27.25	
Baby Division—		
Memorial	3.60	
		1,229.03
		$16,252.60
By receipt, Mrs. Ross to Miss Page	$ 25.00	
By checks, Mrs. Stagg to Mrs. Ross	750.00	
By checks, Mrs. E. Page to Mrs. Ross	281.25	
By checks to Mrs. Ross	15,196.35	
	$16,252.60	
Conference Expense Fund:		
Balance from previous year	$ 154.75	
Collections for year	505.89	
	$ 660.64	
Expense for year	349.52	
Balance on hand		$ 311.12
Missionary Candidate Fund:		
Collections for year		2.42
Balance in bank		$ 313.54

SUMMARY.

Total collections for year	$16,760.91
Carried from previous year	154.75
Grand total for year	$16,915.66
Total disbursements for year	16,602.12
Balance in bank	$ 313.54

Total collections, 1913	$19,367.89
Total collections, 1914	16,760.91
Decrease	$ 2,606.98

MRS. B. B. ADAMS,
Treasurer, Foreign Department.

[No. 11.]

TREASURER'S REPORT, HOME DEPARTMENT, 1914.

RECAPITULATION OF DISTRICTS AND FIRST AND SECOND VICE PRESIDENTS.

Dues, adult	$ 2,596.10	
Dues, Young People	226.63	
Dues, Baby Roll	44.77	
Dues, Florence McEachern Brigade	537.66	
Amount raised, Week of Prayer, adults	222.33	
Amount raised, Week of Prayer, Young People	14.65	
Amount raised, Deaconess Scholarship	60.22	
Baby mite boxes	64.52	
Florence McEachern mite boxes	368.68	
Conference pledge, free-will offering, adult	1,911.46	
Conference pledge, free-will offering, Young People	228.14	
Conference pledge, free-will offering, Baby Div.	278.08	
Specials	315.58	
Conference expense	336.02	
Total received by Conference Treasurer		$ 7,204.84
Value of supplies sent off and reported to Superintendent Supply Department	$ 928.72	
Value of supplies given locally	3,472.76	
Amount expended assistance needy	1,391.68	
Amount expended on parsonages	2,308.93	
Amount expended on churches	2,959.70	
Amount expended on auxiliary expense fund	118.91	
Specials	77.07	
Total local work		11,958.77
Total for all purposes		$19,163.61

RECAPITULATION BY DISTRICTS.

District.	*Cash to Treaurer.*		*Local Work.*	
	1914.	*1913.*	*1914.*	*1913.*
Raleigh	$ 844.81	$ 727.29	$ 1,493.69	$ 2,614.72
Warrenton	566.02	371.61	1,348.20	634.18
Durham	440.25	379.17	1,484.48	418.47
Fayetteville	463.69	402.43	375.92	399.59
Rockingham	684.60	582.77	1,817.56	1,471.53
New Bern	602.50	642.02	1,547.22	1,682.89
Elizabeth City	722.55	799.52	707.97	3,311.10
Washington	449.84	370.75	1,169.62	1,286.46
Wilmington	586.33	700.22	826.38	558.65
FirstVice President	1,268.66	1,265.39	----------	----------
Second Vice President	575.59	510.57	1,187.73	8.28
	$7,204.84	$6,751.74	$11,958.77	$12,385.87

GRAND RECAPITULATION OF AMOUNTS RAISED FOR ALL PURPOSES.

	1914.	*1913.*	
Remitted to Conference Treasurer	$ 7,204.84	$ 6,751.74	
Expended on local work	11,958.77	12,385.87	
	$19,163.61	$19,137.61	
Amount raised over last year			$ 26.00

RECEIPTS.

Balance from previous year	$ 252.88
Checks received from General Treasurer	500.00
Received from District secretaries, first and second vice presidents	7,204.84
Received from Mrs. B. B. Adams, Foreign Department expense fund	17.64
	$ 7,975.36

DISBURSEMENTS.

Paid to Conference officers	$ 499.25	
Paid to Judge Printing Company	36.79	
Remitted to General Treasurer	6,868.82	
Remitted to General Treasurer, special	100.00	
		7,504.86
Balance on hand		$ 470.50

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. N. E. EDGERTON,
Conference Treasurer, Home Department.

I have carefully checked the books of the Treasurer of the Home Department, and hereby certify that—

Her receipts were	$ 7,975.36
Her disbursements were	7,504.86
Balance on hand	$ 470.50

W. H. CALL, *Auditor.*

COMMITTEE REPORTS

COMMITTEE REPORTS

[No. 1.]

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON FINANCE.

We, your committee on finance, recommend the following:

1. That each member of every auxiliary in the Woman's Missionary Society shall pay 50 cents into the Conference expense fund during the first quarter.
2. That every member of all Young People's Auxiliaries pay 25 cents into the Conference expense fund.
3. That every member of each auxiliary shall pay 10 cents into the retirement fund.
4. That all bills for printing minutes and such blanks, postals, and circular-letters as advance our work be paid from the treasury.
5. That the expense of Conference officers be paid from our Conference expense fund.
6. That, whereas our president and corresponding secretary are members of our Mission Council, we authorize our treasurer to pay all necessary expenses incurred by their attendance upon said Council.
7. That the treasurers of each auxiliary shall send all money and reports to district secretary of her district, and the money and reports of young people be sent to first vice president, and money and reports of junior baby division be sent to second vice president the first day of the month each quarter.
8. That each district secretary, first and second vice president, shall send all money and reports to Conference treasurer by the 10th of the month each quarter.
9. That we pay a pledge of $15,000, above our dues and specials, for the support of our missionary work.
10. That the auxiliary treasurers make their reports in even figures, keeping the odd cents for following quarter.
11. That the dues for junior division be 5 cents each month.

Mrs. B. B. Adams, *Chairman.*
Mrs. N. E. Edgerton, *Secretary.*

[No. 2.]

YOUNG PEOPLE'S WORK.

We, the committee on Young People's Work, are convinced that every church needs the enthusiasm of the young people and that the young people need the training and the inspiration to be gained only through missionary work. We therefore recommend:

1. That an earnest effort be made to organize a Young People's Auxiliary in every church where there are six, or more young people of eligible age.
2. That the Year-Book for Young People be used as the foundation in making out the programs for the regular monthly meetings.
3. That wherever possible a mission study class or reading circle should be organized.
4. That emphasis be placed on Bible study in the regular monthly meetings.

5. That public and social meetings be held periodically. That the work and aim of the young people be explained at these meetings, and an earnest effort be made to reach and interest other young people.

6. That since the *Missionary Voice* is to us what the carpenter's chest of tools is to him, the superintendent of study and publicity shall be diligent in securing subscribers.

7. That Good Friday shall be observed as a special day of prayer for the Student Volunteer Movement.

8. That each auxiliary shall make a diligent study of the specials assigned by the Council for this year, viz.: Seoul, Songdo, and the Sue Bennett Memorial, and support the same with gifts of love, prayer, and money.

9. That each auxiliary shall strive to reach the standard of excellence adopted by the Council, so that they may have a place on the roll of honor.

10. That one afternoon during the week of prayer be given to the young people, and that the women of the church be urged to attend.

Respectfully submitted,

MISS LILLIE DUKE, *Chairman.*
MISS LEONA HICKS, *Secretary.*

[No. 3.]

CHILDREN'S WORK.

We, the committee on Children's Work, realizing the importance of enlisting the children and training them in this work of missions, do recommend:

1. That an effort be made to organize a Junior Division and a Baby Division in every church.

2. That a canvass be made and a strong effort be made to place the *Young Christian Worker* in every home where there are children.

3. That we respectfully request that the adult members of the Missionary Society of the North Carolina Conference pay the expenses of the Junior Division.

4. That we request a memorial to the Council, asking that the Junior Division of the North Carolina Conference be allowed to have the Mary Black Memorial and the Japanese Kindergarten on the Pacific as their specials.

5. That a special effort be made during the month of March to enlist new members in the junior work.

MRS. N. H. D. WILSON, *Chairman.*
MRS. A. M. NEWSOM, *Secretary.*

[No. 4.]

MISSION STUDY AND PUBLICITY.

The committee on mission study and publicity, realizing the importance of study and publicity, in that "knowledge is power," submit the following recommendations:

1. That in every auxiliary extreme care be taken in the selection of a superintendent of study and publicity.

2. That a mission study class be organized in each adult and young people's auxiliary, and an effort be made to enlist every woman in the church in mission study.

3. That study classes be organized in all junior divisions.

4. That missionary libraries be established in auxiliaries wherever possible.

5. That district secretaries coöperate with the superintendent of study and publicity in formulating some plan for the establishment of district circulating libraries.

6. That systematic Bible study be urged by every superintendent of study and publicity.

7. That this superintendent shall give to the secular press missionary notes of interest, thus giving the public the benefit of the latest news from our mission field.

8. That the superintendent of study and publicity be urged to fill out the quarterly report blanks and return promptly to the Conference superintendent of study and publicity.

9. That the auxiliary superintendent seek interesting bits of missionary news for the Woman's page in the *Raleigh Christian Advocate*, and in turn present the news to be found on our Woman's page to her auxiliary.

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. E. C. DUNCAN,
MISS DAISY GREEN.

[No. 5.]

REPORT OF SOCIAL SERVICE COMMITTEE.

The social service committee recommend, in compliance with our by-laws:

1. There shall be a superintendent of social service in every auxiliary, whose first duties shall be: To send her name and address to Conference superintendent of social service. She shall be chairman of committee and coöperate with first and second vice presidents of her auxiliary in training the young people and children in active service.

2. We recommend, in forming her committee, she shall choose such women as are most interested in social uplift and are able to operate along those lines of social reform most needed in each auxiliary and all movements affecting the welfare of the people.

3. We recommend that a careful study of the subjects sent out each quarter shall be made by the committee on social service and the results of the study shall be presented to the auxiliary at our meeting each quarter.

MRS. W. H. SPEIGHT,
MISS ANNIE SLEDGE.

[No. 6.]

EXAMINATION OF SECRETARIES' BOOKS.

We, your committee on examination of the district secretaries' books, have examined same, and find them correct

MRS. S. W. VENABLE, JR.,
MRS. E. L. HART,
MISS MABEL TOMLINSON.

[No. 7.]

EXTENSION OF WORK.

Your committee on extension of work submit the following report:

Whereas we are fully conscious of the fact that the missionary work of our Conference is being done by a small proportion of the women of our Church, and as we realize the increased need for workers and the need of the women for the blessing that comes through the missionary work:

1. We recommend that special effort be made this year to enlist every woman in the church in the missionary work.

2. We recommend that the district secretary and Conference officers make special effort whenever practicable to organize an adult, young people, and juvenile auxiliary in every church.

3. We recommend that Conference first and second vice presidents coöperate with district secretaries in organizing young people's and children's societies.

4. We recommend that Article 3 (page 63) of the report of the committee on extension of work for 1914, "That each district secretary shall pledge an earnest effort to hold an annual meeting in her district, at which time she shall urge the great importance of organizing new auxiliaries, doing all in her power to develop the district," be made a standing rule.

5. We recommend that Article 5 (page 63) of the report of committee on extension of work for 1914, "That the Conference officers and each auxiliary president make every effort to have the week of prayer observed," be made a standing rule.

6. For the purpose of securing accuracy, we recommend that the executive committee of each auxiliary hold a meeting immediately before sending the quarterly reports.

Respectfully submitted,

MISS SALLIE LOU MCKINNON, *Chairman*,
MRS. W. P. BAUGHAM, *Secretary*.

RESOLUTIONS

Whereas the Woman's Missionary Conference has been so graciously entertained by the church and people of Rocky Mount; Therefore be it

Resolved,

1. That we wish to express our true appreciation for their wholehearted hospitality and many kindnesses.

2. That we extend our grateful thanks for the cordial welcome expressed by the church through the choir and for the beautiful music throughout the Conference.

3. That we tender our thanks to Rev. R. C. Craven for the devotional hour, and his many courtesies.

4. That we thank the local auxiliaries for their part in providing such delicious lunches each day.

5. And to our dear Mrs. Steele we feel exceedingly grateful for her instructive talks, which have thrilled and inspired us with greater zeal to go forward in this missionary work.

And to every one who has contributed we bring our thanks and love, and leave with you our prayers.

Mrs. J. E. Stagg,
Mrs. J. G. Fearing,
Kate M. Blanchard,
Committee.

To the Senate and House of Representatives, in Congress Assembled:

Whereas the Mormon Church continues to teach, and its prophet and priests continue to practice, polygamy, in defiance of the law of Christ and also of the law of the land and in ungrateful violation of their pledge made to this country: Now, therefore, we do respectfully urge upon the Congress the speedy adoption of the pending resolution—introduced in the House by Mr. Gillett of Massachusetts, and in the Senate by Mr. Weeks of Massachusetts—to amend the Federal Constitution as follows:

ARTICLE XVIII.

"Section 1. Polygamy and polygamous cohabitation shall not exist within the United States or any place subject to their jurisdiction.

"Section 2. Congress shall have power to enforce this article by appropriate legislation."

Adopted by Woman's Missionary Society, Rocky Mount, North Carolina, January 29, 1915.

Mrs. R. B. John, *President.*
May Edla Smith, *Secretary.*

STATISTICS

YOUNG PEOPLE'S WORK, 1913.

	Dues.		Pledge.		Retirement and Relief.		Conference Fee.		Week of Prayer.		Laredo, McTyiere.		Scarritt Bible and Training School.		Scholarship.		Totals.		Totals, Home and Foreign.
	Home.	Foreign.	Home.	Foreign.	Home.	Foreign.	Home.	Foreign.	Home.	Foreign.	Home.	Foreign.	Home.	Foreign.	Home.	Foreign.	Home.	Foreign.	
DURHAM DISTRICT:																			
Memorial Church	$6.25	$6.40	$3.90	$4.55	$0.60	$0.60	$1.65	$1.65	$2.65	$2.65	$6.00	$6.00	$1.00	$1.00		$	$ 22.15	$ 22.85	$ 45.00
Roxboro		6.10		23.05		.40		2.25										31.80	31.80
ELIZABETH CITY DISTRICT:																			
Kittrell	5.89	5.91	10.00	10.10									2.00	2.00			17.89	18.01	35.90
Hertford	1.45	2.45			.45	.45	1.12	1.13									3.02	4.03	7.05
Andrews	3.05	6.18	4.40	4.40	.40	.50	1.25	1.90									9.10	12.98	22.08
Elizabeth City	1.30	1.30					.50	.70									1.80	2.00	3.80
Winfall	.77	.78															.77	.78	1.55
FAYETTEVILLE DISTRICT:																			
Carthage	3.64	3.66															3.64	3.66	7.30
NEW BERN DISTRICT:																			
St. Pauls	37.76	37.79	37.50	37.50	1.45	1.35	3.77	2.98		2.65		2.25	1.00	1.00		40.00	81.48	125.52	207.00
Faison	5.82	5.82	1.05	4.05			.25	.25									7.12	10.12	17.24
Mount Olive	5.47	5.48		10.35	1.61	2.32		2.53						2.04			7.08	22.72	29.80
Ocracoke	5.77	5.78	13.50	13.50													19.27	19.28	38.55
Morehead City	12.57	8.88															12.57	8.88	21.45
RALEIGH DISTRICT:																			
Edenton Street	7.77	7.78	2.50	2.50									2.00	2.00			12.27	12.28	24.55
Oxford		24.20		61.05		1.20		5.25										91.70	91.70

Franklinton, No. 1		23.85		51.90				5.50						2.00		40.00		124.35	124.35
Louisburg		23.70		25.00		.75		4.25		2.50				1.60				57.80	57.80
Franklinton, No. 2		7.80		48.16		.30		.50		9.15						40.00		105.91	105.91
Selma	9.37	9.38	26.17	23.83	1.80	1.80	1.50	1.50									38.84	36.51	75.35
Planks Chapel	5.75	5.75	13.50	13.50	.50	.50	1.25	1.50					1.00	1.00			22.00	22.25	44.25
ROCKINGHAM DISTRICT:																			
Lillie Duke	4.33	4.82	12.20	18.30	.50	.75	1.25	1.25									18.28	25.12	45.40
Mary Steele	19.50	19.50	19.66	21.99	1.74	1.76	4.46	4.49	6.00	6.00			1.00	1.00	40.00	60.00	92.36	114.74	207.10
Biscoe	12.10	12.10	1.50		.80	.80	4.00	4.00			10.00		1.00	1.00		130.00	29.40	147.90	177.30
Zion Lillie Duke	5.87	6.23	10.55	4.50	.50	.45	1.25	1.00									18.17	12.18	30.35
Maxton	8.30	10.40	33.75	38.15	.25	.50		3.15									42.30	52.20	94.50
Laurinburg	20.33	21.87		200.00						3.30		8.10				40.00	20.33	273.27	293.60
Fairmont	3.31	3.31	15.17	11.68													18.48	14.99	33.47
Rowland	1.25	1.25							5.00								6.25	1.25	7.50
Roberdel	4.94	4.96	1.60														6.54	4.96	11.50
Pee Dee	2.40	1.45	1.50														3.90	1.45	5.35
Laurinburg	4.24	4.26															4.24	4.26	8.50
WARRENTON DISTRICT:																			
Littleton	5.75	9.45	1.00				.25	.25						*15.75			7.00	25.45	32.45
Windsor	1.30																1.30		1.30
Littleton College		15.95		20.00												40.00		75.95	75.95
WASHINGTON DISTRICT:																			
Rocky Mount	1.62	1.63	1.27	1.28	.50	.50											3.39	3.41	6.80
Washington	1.60	1.90		5.00			.25	.25			4.00	6.00					5.85	13.15	19.00
Greenville	4.28	4.28			.25	.33											4.53	4.61	9.14
WILMINGTON DISTRICT:																			
Ida Hawkins	9.55	9.55	18.42	18.43	.80	.80	1.82	2.03									30.59	30.81	61.40
Richlands	2.55	2.55	4.00	3.00			.30	.30		2.00	1.00						7.85	7.85	15.70
Rose Hill	1.27	1.28															1.27	1.28	2.55
Southport	.45	.50															.45	.50	.95

*Miss Green's salary.

STATISTICAL REPORT OF BRIGHT JEWELS.

	Baby Division.			Junior Division.					
	Number Members.	Amount of Enrollment Fees.	Amount from Mite Boxes.	Number Members.	Amount of Membership Fees.	Amount from Mite Boxes.	Home Mission Specials.	Foreign Mission Specials.	Total Amount Raised.
DURHAM DISTRICT:									
Burlington		$	$	30	$ 0.60	$ 4.40	$	$	$ 5.00
Chapel Hill				18	3.00				3.00
Leasburg				32	15.88	13.50			29.53
Memorial	20		5.00	65	33.86	96.04		50.00	184.90
Roxboro	19	.25	4.73	24	13.30	13.54	2.60	5.40	39.93
Trinity		1.25	1.50	50	13.90	41.19			57.84
Yanceyville				20	4.75	9.12			13.87
Totals	39	$ 1.50	$ 11.23	239	$ 85.35	$ 177.84	$ 2.60	$ 55.40	$ 334.07
ELIZABETH CITY DISTRICT:									
Anderson		$	$	15	$ 9.84	$ 8.10	$	$	$ 17.94
Belhaven	4			35	6.70				6.70
City Road				55	23.71	19.95			43.66
Edenton				24	4.50	10.00			14.50
Elizabeth City—First Church	20		1.30	67	8.70	10.00			20.00
Gatesville	3	.25	.38	24		7.88	1.00	4.95	15.21
Hertford	7	1.75	3.78	68	32.10	33.60			71.23
Kittrell	4	.25	.65	21		.92			1.82

Manteo	5	.75	1.19	21		6.51			8.45
Moyock				28	8.85	3.00		17.00	28.85
Pantego				16	8.90	32.40			41.30
Parkers				23	6.20	4.15			10.35
Philadelphia	6	.75	1.54	12	9.60	3.26			15.15
Roper				52	5.29	2.71			8.00
Wanchese				54	25.70	30.85			62.15
Winfall				20	.86	1.07			1.93
Totals	49	$ 3.75	$ 8.84	535	$ 150.95	$ 174.40	$ 1.00	$ 21.95	$ 367.24
FAYETTEVILLE DISTRICT:									
Bynum	6	$ 0.75	$ 0.62	15	$ 3.50	$	$	$	$ 4.87
Camp Ground	5	1.25	.75	29	8.15	10.02			20.17
Carthage	7	2.25	.50	25	12.90	.28			15.93
Dunn	25	2.00	3.27	39	16.71	10.17		11.41	43.56
Fayetteville, Hay Street				33	11.80	58.62		1.70	72.12
Magee	7			9	.58				.58
Pittsboro				20	3.75	7.28			11.04
Roseboro				21	6.15	3.46			9.61
Sanford				20	7.58	3.07			10.65
Totals	50	$ 6.25	$ 5.14	211	$ 71.12	$ 92.91		$ 13.11	$ 188.53
NEW BERN DISTRICT:									
Centenary, New Bern	50	$ 4.25	$ 14.58	129	$ 35.90	$ 76.22			$ 130.95
Elm Street, Goldsboro				76	5.50				5.50
Faison				13	3.05	1.35			4.40
Hookerton	10	1.75		14	1.30				3.05
Queen Street, Kinston				31	9.85	44.33			54.98
Morehead City	6	1.50		58	11.42	23.56			36.48
Ocracoke				25	14.70	2.00			16.70
Pollocksville				21	8.50				8.50

STATISTICAL REPORT OF BRIGHT JEWELS—Continued.

	Baby Division.			Junior Division.					
	Number Members.	Amount of Enrollment Fees.	Amount from Mite Boxes.	Number Members.	Amount of Membership Fees.	Amount from Mite Boxes.	Home Mission Specials.	Foreign Mission Specials.	Total Amount Raised.
NEW BERN DISTRICT—*Continued.*									
St. Paul, Goldsboro	4	$ 1.00	$ 4.20	$ 50	$ 13.35	$ 64.67	$	$	$ 83.22
Trenton	5	1.25	2.25	26	9.00	5.07			17.57
Totals	75	$ 9.75	$ 21.03	443	$ 114.32	$ 227.20			$ 373.10
RALEIGH DISTRICT:									
Banks		$	$	26	$ 7.50	$ 18.60	$	$	$ 29.17
Benson				20	6.00				6.00
Cary				23	14.00	7.90		20.00	41.90
Central, Raleigh	5	1.25		21	3.50				4.75
Edenton Street, Raleigh	53	2.00	11.00	38	6.76	26.00			45.76
Epworth, Raleigh				46	2.30	4.00			6.30
Four Oaks				15	10.90	8.95			19.85
Franklinton	24	6.00	9.00	22	13.30	62.50			90.80
Kenly	10	.25	1.63	20	8.55	3.14			13.57
Louisburg	14	3.50		40	21.30	53.75			78.55
Oxford	15	3.75		50	22.80	23.45			50.00
Plank Chapel				20	2.00	9.50			11.50
Salem				8	5.15	2.50			7.65

Selma	22	1.25	2.41	44	.50	16.11			20.27
Smithfield				22	10.14	3.10	5.00		18.24
Totals	143	$ 18.00	$ 24.04	415	$ 134.70	$ 239.50	$ 5.00	$ 20.00	$ 442.31
ROCKINGHAM DISTRICT:									
Aberdeen		$	$	27	$ 4.00	$ 5.00			$ 9.00
Biscoe				22	15.01	39.62			54.63
East Laurinburg				12	2.20				2.20
Fairmont	4	.25	1.00	50	15.35	28.67			45.27
Hamlet	21	.50		58	17.00				17.50
Laurinburg				62	24.40	151.60			176.00
Lumberton	25	1.75	1.81	19	7.85	25.87			37.28
Maxton	19	1.25		47	5.90	12.83			19.98
Mount Gilead				53	26.16	25.00			51.16
Raeford				20	7.55	4.04			11.59
Red Springs				34	9.15	8.80			17.95
Rockingham	8	2.00		72	17.05	12.90			36.95
Rowland				11	.65	1.14			1.79
St. Paul				6	2.88	.40			3.28
Trinity	7			16	4.20				4.20
Troy				23	8.10	4.92			13.02
Zion				10	1.25	4.25			5.50
Totals	84	$ 5.75	$ 2.81	542	$ 168.70	$ 325.04			$ 507.30
WARRENTON DISTRICT:									
Ahoskie	4	$ .50	$	16	$ 6.67	$ 1.75			$ 8.92
Calvary				10		1.25			1.25
Enfield				16	1.20				1.20
Garysburg				49	23.90	2.50			26.40
Henderson				37	11.95				11.95
Jackson				20	21.16	23.45			44.61

STATISTICAL REPORT OF BRIGHT JEWELS—Continued.

	Baby Division.			Junior Division.					
	Number Members.	Amount of Enrollment Fees.	Amount from Mite Boxes.	Number Members.	Amount of Membership Fees.	Amount from Mite Boxes.	Home Mission Special.	Foreign Mission Special.	Total Amounts Raised.
WARRENTON DISTRICT—*Continued.*									
Littleton	20	$ .75	$ 2.58	$ 44	$ 16.02	$ 15.20	$	$	$ 34.55
Macon					13.68	6.49			20.17
Murfreesboro				50	10.76	9.70			20.46
Roxobel				16	3.89	2.20			6.03
Seaboard	2	.50		18	3.75				4.25
Warrenton	9	.50	3.50	25	7.50				11.50
Weldon	32	1.00	18.45	50	29.00	53.00			101.45
Windsor	11	.50	8.50	26	14.25	3.50			26.75
Winton	8		1.50	14	5.16	8.05			14.71
Totals	106	$ 3.75	$ 34.53	411	$ 168.83	$ 127.09			$ 334.20
WASHINGTON DISTRICT:									
Elm City		$	$	22	$ 9.01	$	$		$ 9.01
Fremont				30	1.65	.55			2.20
Nashville				30	4.21	5.00			9.21
Rocky Mount				41	18.25	36.29			54.54
Spring Hope	8	.50	3.18	7	3.02	6.10			12.80
Swan Quarter				20	1.50	1.00			2.50
Tarboro				14	9.40	4.10	1.50		15.00

Washington	20	5.25	7.14	24	9.85	8.00			30.24
Wilson	17	1.50		31	22.25	33.35			57.10
Totals	45	$ 7.25	$ 10.32	219	$ 79.14	$ 94.39	$ 1.50		$ 192.60
WILMINGTON DISTRICT:									
Clinton		$	$	20	$ 6.20	$			$ 6.20
Council	1		.75	12	1.58	4.78			7.11
Fifth Street, Wilmington				23	3.50	1.62			5.12
Grace, Wilmington	24	1.50	10.51	100	55.90	127.08			194.99
Ingold				10	6.90				6.90
Maysville					.55				.55
Richlands	8	1.75	1.80	28	10.80	22.14			36.89
Rose Hill					4.02	4.00			8.02
Southport				6	.35	1.31			1.66
Wallace				30	10.06	15.92			25.98
Whiteville	14			24	2.05	6.44			8.49
Totals	47	$ 3.25	$ 13.11	269	$ 101.91	$ 183.29			$ 301.96

RECAPITULATION.

	Baby Division.			Junior Division.					
	Number Members.	Amount of Enrollment Fees.	Amount from Mite Boxes.	Number Members.	Amount of Membership Fees.	Amount from Mite Boxes.	Home Mission Specials.	Foreign Mission Special.	Total Amounts Raised.
Durham	50	$ 1.50	$ 11.23	239	$ 85.35	$ 177.84	$ 2.60	$ 55.40	$ 334.07
Elizabeth City	49	3.75	8.84	535	150.95	174.40	1.00	21.95	367.24
Fayetteville	50	6.25	5.14	211	71.12	92.91		13.11	188.53
New Bern	75	9.75	21.03	443	114.32	227.20			373.10
Raleigh	143	18.00	24.04	415	134.70	239.50	5.00	20.00	442.31
Rockingham	84	5.75	1.81	542	168.70	325.04			507.30
Warrenton	106	3.75	34.53	411	168.83	127.09			334.20
Washington	45	7.25	10.32	219	79.14	94.39	1.50		192.60
Wilmington	47	3.25	13.11	269	101.91	183.29			301.96
Totals	659	$ 59.25	$ 130.05	3,284	$ 1,075.02	$ 1,641.66	$ 10.10	$ 110.46	$ 3,041.31

Unidentified remittance from "Union"	1.50
Check from Mrs. L. N. Hendren	8.00
Money sent by District Secretaries to Mrs. Edgerton	27.45
Total	$ 3,078.26
Remitted to Mrs. N. E. Edgerton	$ 1,268.66
Remitted to Mrs. B. B. Adams	1,730.65

Expense Fund	50.00
Carried forward "Union"	1.50
Forwarded to Mrs. Edgerton by District Secretaries	27.45
Total	$ 3,078.26

Several remittances for Conference Expense and Specials, not definitely reported, are included in the totals from the individual bands, and, therefore, in the District and Conference totals. An apparently inadequate report, many bands not reporting, gives subscribers to *Young Christian Worker*, 410.

DISTRICT SECRETARIES' REPORTS

DURHAM DISTRICT.

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

	Number Members.	New Members.	Subscribers to "Voice."	Mission Study.	Dues.	Conference Expense Fund.	Retirement Fund.	Pledge.	Week of Prayer.	Specials.	Scarritt Bible and Training School.	Totals.
Memorial	100	15	34	64	$ 72.10	$ 7.50	$ 2.65	$ 289.18	$ 23.16	$	$	$ 304.24
Burlington	32	2	12		42.25	6.25	2.10	105.85		.10		156.45
Roxboro	66	10	25		65.00	5.00	1.00	200.00			2.00	273.00
West Durham	32	7	8	10	14.20	.25	.05	19.85	7.05			41.40
Trinity	45	5	24	20	41.50	7.50	.65	222.15	5.25	50.00	2.00	329.05
Chapel Hill	22	5	2		15.70	2.75	.55	26.10				45.10
Brooksdale	15	2	6		13.05			51.55				64.60
Trinity, Y. W.	46	4								*48.55		48.55
Leasburg	17		9		19.10		.45	25.50			1.25	46.30
Yanceyville	10		6		14.75				10.00	†50.00		74.75
Branson	18		4		1.50			.50				2.60
Carrboro‡	14	14	2									
Totals	417	64	132	94	$ 299.15	$ 29.25	$ 7.45	$ 940.68	$ 45.46	$ 148.65	$ 5.23	$1,475.89

Mrs. J. E. Stagg, School for Korean Widows	$ 750.00
Amount raised by the Bright Jewel bands	334.07
Amount raised by the Young Women	54.65
Grand total, foreign work	$2,614.61

*Mrs. A. P. Parker's School, Hongken, China. †Bible Women. ‡New auxiliary.

HOME DEPARTMENT.

	Scarritt Bible and Training School.	Dues.	Conference Expense Fund.	Retirement Fund.	Pledge.	Week of Prayer.	Total Local Work.	Money.	Totals.
Memorial	$	$ 66.75	$ 7.50	$ 2.65	$ 100.00	$ 23.16	$ 512.28	$ 200.06	$ 712.34
Trinity	1.00	29.80	5.75	.20	38.05	5.25	332.23	80.05	412.28
West Durham		25.00	.25		20.30		149.10	45.55	194.65
Trinity, Y. W.		42.50	4.59		27.55		156.97	74.64	231.61
Burlington		35.70	3.90	1.30			299.75	40.90	348.65
Branson		1.50			.50				
Totals	$ 1.00	$ 201.25	$ 21.99	$ 4.15	$ 186.40	$ 28.41	$ 1,450.33	$ 441.20	$ 1,899.53

Young Women	$ 22.05
Amount of Foreign	2,614.61
Amount of Home	1,899.53
Grand total	$ 4,536.19

ELIZABETH CITY DISTRICT.

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

	Dues.	Conference Expense Fund.	Retirement Fund.	Pledge.	Rio Girls' School.	Blanche Fentress.	Scarritt Bible and Training School.	Week of Prayer.	Specials.	Scholarship.	Totals.
Young Woman's, Elizabeth City	$ 3.50	$ .75	$ .10	$ 1.00	$	$	$	$	$	$	$ 5.35
Minnie Wilson	25.65	6.25	1.35	35.15							68.40
Wanchese-Bethany	36.80	9.50	1.25	50.29	4.91	1.95	1.00				105.70
Manteo	19.00	4.02	.81	13.50				2.76			40.09
Kittrell	18.30	3.50		9.00			2.00				32.80
Zion	12.25	1.25		20.00							33.50
Hertford	23.45	5.25	.55	109.10			4.00	23.00	.35		165.70
Pantego	13.55	2.00	.15	15.00							30.70
Edenton	10.20	2.00	.40	6.00			2.00		*9.07		29.67
Gatesville	20.50	2.25	.95	40.00			1.35	7.70		40.00	112.75
Philadelphia	22.80	5.00	.55	19.00			1.10	7.41	†1.00		56.86
First Church, Elizabeth City	38.65	8.25	1.80	230.46		2.00	2.00				283.16
Anderson	16.75	1.75	.40	25.00			2.00				45.90
Parker's, Corapeake	23.05	.75		20.50							44.30
Totals, adult	$ 284.45	$ 52.52	$ 8.31	$ 594.00	$ 4.91	$ 3.95	$ 15.45	$ 40.87	$ 10.42	$ 40.00	$1,054.88

Brazilian Scholarship, Margaret Brown Gates, Gates County Institute	$ 40.00
Bright Jewels	367.24
Young People	55.28
Grand total	$1,517.40

*Mite boxes. †Easter offering.

	Dues.	Conference Expense Fund.	Relief Fund.	Pledge.	Specials.	Week of Prayer.	Scarritt Bible and Training School.	Educational Endowment.	Baby Division.	Deaconess Scholarship.	Totals.
Young Woman's, Elizabeth City	$ 37.18	$ 5.25	$ 1.50	$ 16.80	$	$	$	$	$	$	$ 60.73
McBride	15.56										15.56
Chowan	2.50										2.50
Edenton	20.90	3.75	.80	16.75	2.50						44.70
Gatesville	22.90	2.25	.95	25.00		5.15	.75	.55			57.55
Philadelphia	23.20	4.00	.50	15.00	*1.00	7.16	1.25				52.11
City Road	23.40	1.95		11.00		2.82					39.17
Newland	17.40	.40		7.50							25.30
Hebron	6.10										6.10
Minnie Wilson	11.05	2.55	.55	14.05							28.20
Wanchese	23.70	1.80	.30	9.70		3.62	1.05				40.17
Manteo	19.00	3.98	.79	13.50		2.75					40.02
Kittrell	14.20	2.30		9.00							25.50
Zion	10.40	1.05		10.00	†1.20				.50		23.15
Hertford	29.92	6.00	.70	41.95							78.57
Savage	8.80										8.80
Belhaven	28.50			3.50		3.65					35.65
First Church, Elizabeth City	35.65	7.25		64.32						2.00	109.22
Parker's	19.30	.25		10.00							29.55
New Hope (treasurer not heard from)											
Totals	369.66	42.78	6.09	268.07	4.70	25.15	3.05	.55	.50	2.00	722.55
Total, local work											707.97
Grand total											1,430.52

*Easter offering. †Baby mite box.

ELIZABETH CITY DISTRICT—Continued.

LOCAL WORK.

	Assistance to Needy.	Expended on Parsonage.	Expended on Church.	Orphans.	Given Locally.	Conference Expense Fund Expended by Auxiliary.	Specials.	Totals.
Belhaven	$ 21.40	$ 109.85	$ 3.87	$ 12.50	$	$	$	$ 147.62
Zion					2.20			2.20
First Church, Elizabeth City					42.35			42.35
Wanchese	9.60	18.73				1.82	2.00	32.15
City Road	15.00	22.25			26.00			63.25
Edenton					1.00		8.00	9.00
Hertford		135.00			27.00			162.00
Savage					1.00			1.00
Gatesville	4.35			11.00	12.75			28.10
Manteo				39.10	16.68			55.78
Parker's					61.14			61.14
McBride					3.32			3.32
Young Woman's, Elizabeth City	30.00				65.94			95.94
Kittrell					4.12			4.12
Total, local work								707.90

SUMMARY—HOME DEPARTMENT.

Number adult members	436
Number adult auxiliaries in district	20
Young People's auxiliaries	5
Junior Divisions	17
Baby Divisions	7
Number life members, adult	59
Number honorary members	21
Subscribers to *Missionary Voice*	100
Subscribers to *Young Christian Worker*	34
Number of auxiliaries taking reading course	7
Number auxiliaries using leaflets	20
Number members pledged to Christian Stewardship	40
Number boxes sent to orphans	3
Number papers and leaflets distributed	400
Number visits to sick and strangers	788
Number auxiliaries observed Week of Prayer	15
Number garments in good order distributed	100
Number bouquets of flowers distributed	25
Amount sent Conference Treasurer for dues	$ 369.66
Amount sent Conference Treasurer for specials	352.89
Amount expended for local work	707.97

Mrs. J. N. Winslow, *District Secretary.*

FAYETTEVILLE DISTRICT.

HOME DEPARTMENT.

	Dues.	Pledge.	Conference Expense.	Relief Fund.	Scarritt Endowment Fund.	Week of Prayer.	Scarritt Bible and Training School.	Totals.
Belle Bennett	$ 18.20	$ 15.00	$ 4.40	$ 0.20	$ 2.00	$ 1.00	$	$ 40.80
Bethel	6.90	10.00	.50					17.40
Black's Chapel	1.51							1.51
Bynum	15.43	15.00						30.43
Carthage	44.80	16.70	2.60		.55	13.18	100.00	177.83
Duke	4.00	4.60	2.25	1.05				11.90
Dunn	50.80	50.67	10.25	2.00	1.95	3.00		118.67
Hay Street	9.60	14.00						23.60
Magee	17.45		.10	.25				17.80
Meroney	2.50							2.50
Pittsboro	11.00	4.50						15.50
Sanford	4.45	5.40		.20				10.05
Totals	186.64	135.87	20.10	3.70	4.50	17.18	100.00	467.99

LOCAL WORK.

	Value of Supplies Sent Off.	Value of Supplies Locally.	Assistance of Needy.	Expended on Parsonage.	Expended on Church.	Expended by Auxiliary.	Specials.	Orphanage.	Totals.
Belle Bennett	$ 15.00	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$ 15.00
Bynum		13.65	6.00						19.65
Carthage		38.00	11.00			.90		60.00	109.90
Dunn				27.70		7.24	6.10		41.04
Hay Street			66.58	80.00		3.00	25.00		174.58
Magee			6.18	.50	1.65				8.33
Pittsboro					71.50				71.50
Totals	15.00	51.65	89.76	108.20	73.15	11.14	31.10	60.00	440.00

FAYETTEVILLE DISTRICT—Continued.

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

	Dues.	Conference Expense Fund.	Pledge.	Retirement Fund.	Scarritt Endowment Fund.	Bible Women.	Blanche Fentress.	Week of Prayer.	Totals.
Bethel	$ 6.90	$ 1.00	$ 15.15	$ 0.10	$	$	$	$	$ 23.15
Black's Chapel	1.50								1.50
Camp Ground	23.40	1.50	13.50	1.00	1.00				40.40
Carthage	41.00	4.50	28.15		.70	60.00		12.90	147.25
Dunn	29.80	3.85	71.58	.75				4.58	110.56
Hay Street	61.80	11.55	112.55	.30				6.00	192.20
Jonesboro	14.10		20.00			60.00			94.10
Meroney	2.50								2.50
Pittsboro	17.10		9.10	.75				5.25	32.20
Sanford	2.90	.25	7.00	.35			27.75		38.25
Siler City	22.20		63.05					5.45	90.70
Steele Street	36.70		44.90	.95				1.00	83.55
Totals	259.90	22.65	384.98	4.20	1.70	120.00	27.75	35.18	856.36

SUMMARY—HOME DEPARTMENT.

Number of auxiliaries	12
Number of members	183
Number of honorary members	9
Number of subscribers to *Voice*	70
Dues	$ 186.64
Pledge	135.87
Conference Expense Fund	20.10
Relief Fund	3.70
Scarritt Endowment Fund	4.50
Week of Prayer	17.18
Scarritt Training School	100.00
Total	467.99
Local work	440.00
Grand total	907.99

Increase over last year, $112.11.

SUMMARY—FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

Number of auxiliaries	12
Number of members	242
Number of honorary members	20
Number of subscribers to *Voice*	82
Dues	$ 259.90
Conference Expense Fund	22.65
Pledge	384.98
Retirement Fund	4.20
Scarritt Endowment Fund	1.70
Bible Women	120.00
Blanche Fentress	27.75
Week of Prayer	35.18
Total	856.36
Young People's Work	7.29
Junior Division of Bright Jewels	188.53
Grand total	1,052.18

Increase over last year, $165.72.

MISS VARA HERRING, *District Secretary.*

NEW BERN DISTRICT.

HOME DEPARTMENT.

	Dues.	Pledge.	Relief.	Virginia Johnson Home.	Conference Expense Fund.	Totals.	Local.	Grand Totals.
LaGrange	$21.75	$25.00	$	$	$	$46.75	$20.02	$ 66.77
Pollocksville	17.70	19.40	.50		1.20	38.80	67.46	106.26
Trenton	20.05	22.05	2.00	5.00	.50	49.60		
New Bern	111.20	119.30	3.90		20.00	254.40	534.43	788.83
Faison	1.50						125.00	126.50
Kinston	13.70	10.25	.50		2.75	26.30	100.00	126.90
St. Paul	76.05	93.60	3.35		17.25	190.25	439.83	630.08

SUMMARY—HOME DEPARTMENT.

Number members in Home Department	253
Number members in Foreign Department	470
Honorary life members	25
Life members	2
Subscribers to *Voice*	150

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

	Number Members.	Dues.	Conference Expense Fund.	Pledge.	Scarritt Bible and Training School.	Retirement.	Blanche Fentress Memorial.	Totals.
Kinston	60	$57.35	$14.00	$179.75	$	$ 2.25	$ 1.00	$ 254.35
Centenary	86	88.70	18.50	228.35		3.70		339.25
Ocracoke	11	16.90	1.80	23.45		.45		42.60
Morehead City	44	43.20	13.05	85.72	1.35	1.80		145.12
St. Paul	72	73.20	15.50	156.20	4.60	3.15		252.65
Faison	8	8.20		132.50		.35		141.05
St. John (Goldsboro)	28	26.40		50.30				76.70
Oriental	15	12.95		13.45				26.40
Hookerton	19	21.05	3.25	55.66	.25	.80		81.16
Stonewall		4.87						4.87
Snow Hill	20	19.45	1.10	37.70		.95		59.20
Beaufort	26	11.40		48.40	.50			60.55
Mount Olive	24	30.35	6.75	43.60	1.35	2.45		84.55
Total								1,569.08
Total, Bright Jewels								373.10
Total, Young People								316.69
Total, Home Department								602.50
Total, Local Work								1,547.22
Grand total								4,408.59

MRS. H. J. FAISON, *District Secretary.*

RALEIGH DISTRICT.

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

	Number Members.	New Members.	Life Members.	Honorary Members.	Subscribers to "Voice."	Scholarships (2).	Bible Women (2½).	Dues.	Conference Expense Fund.	Conference Pledge ($1,200).	Mite Boxes.	Thank Offering.	Reavis Day School (China).	Retirement Fund.	Scarritt Bible and Training School.	Week of Prayer.	Missionary Candidate Fund.	Blanche Fentress Fund.	Totals.
Mary Pescud	33	3			9	$39.25	$	$23.55	$ 4.75	$ 98.50	$	$2.25	$	$ 1.00	$0.25	$11.11	$	$	$180.66
Banks Chapel	35	1	9	5	13	40.00	30.00	27.96	5.90	150.60		.57		1.20					256.23
Central (Raleigh)	30	2			5			26.90	8.05	82.00				.85					117.80
Oxford	32				12			34.40	9.25	150.00				1.85					195.50
Cary	18	3			6			18.80	2.25	17.25				.50		3.67			42.47
Elizabeth	10		1		5			12.50	2.90	17.05		2.30		.55	1.00	3.05	1.00		40.35
Salem	15			2	2			16.95		6.80									23.75
Plank Chapel	12	1		3	4			12.50	1.75	29.80				.40					44.45
Franklinton	25		25		15			27.30	6.00	340.05	.77	.90		1.15	2.00	28.83			407.00
Louisburg	59	6	14	13	18		120.00	46.20	10.15	190.00			225.00	1.90		4.44			597.69
Edenton Street	51	12	2		22			46.35	11.45	116.25				3.10		10.00		50.00	237.15
Benson	16	2			6			10.70	4.50	24.50				.50					40.20
Four Oaks	7				4			7.75	.75	27.00									35.50
Totals	343	30	51	23	121	$79.25	$150.00	$311.86	$67.70	$1,249.80	$ .77	$6.02	$225.00	$13.00	$3.25	$61.10	$1.00	$50.00	$2,218.75

RALEIGH DISTRICT—Continued.

HOME DEPARTMENT.

	Number Members.	Life Members.	Subscribers to "Voice."	Dues.	Conference Expense Fund.	Relief Fund.	Scarritt Bible and Training School.	White Memorial.	Deaconess Scholarship.	Vashti.	Brevard Institute.	Week of Prayer.	Conference Pledge ($300).	Baby Division Dues.	Baby Division Mite Boxes.	Number in Mission Study Class.	Totals.
Banks Chapel	15			$ 5.40	$	$ 0.10	$	$	$	$	$	$	$ 0.50	$	$		$ 6.00
Clayton	26		11	28.00	3.00							6.45	20.10			26	57.55
Edenton Street	107	2		116.30	22.05	6.80		2.35				10.00	*115.00				272.50
Four Oaks	7		5	6.60	.75								2.75				10.10
Kenly	27		12	33.60		3.05			4.00	1.00	3.00	2.94				10	47.59
Louisburg	41	1	18	34.55	7.25	1.15	2.25		.65	2.96			83.65			35	132.46
Mary Pescud	31		9	9.10	1.50	.25							15.05			8	25.90
Oxford	16			17.50	3.50	.65				11.95							33.60
Selma	30		18	25.55	2.25	1.10						3.00	10.00				41.90
Smithfield	57			70.50	4.50	.65			5.00			14.86	24.85	.75	10.95		132.06
Cary	13			14.35													14.35
Apex	12		3	14.10	3.25				2.50	10.00			10.00				39.85
Central (Raleigh)	10			10.85						6.75							17.60
Fuquay Springs	13		7	13.35													13.35
Totals	405	3	83	$399.75	$48.05	$13.75	$ 2.25	$2.35	$12.15	$32.60	$3.00	$37.25	$281.90	$ .75	$10.95	79	$†844.81

*Includes $50 Special. †Increase, $117.52.

LOCAL WORK.

	Value of Supplies Sent Off.	Value of Supplies Used Locally.	Assistance of Needy.	Expended on Parsonage.	Expended on Church.	Expended by Auxiliary.	Raleigh Orphanage.	Totals.
Banks Chapel	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$
Clayton		65.00		49.99	122.70			237.69
Edenton Street	274.87	878.13	1.50			6.00		1,160.50
Four Oaks		35.00						35.00
Kenly		.58	.70	19.00				20.28
Louisburg		50.10	38.25					88.35
Mary Pescud								
Oxford				10.00		2.00		12.00
Selma		4.00	17.20	95.58				116.78
Smithfield		308.33	183.39	146.77	200.00	5.25	70.35	914.09
Cary								
Apex				8.75				8.75
Central (Raleigh)								
Fuquay Springs				16.50	9.25			25.75
Totals	274.87	1,341.14	241.04	346.59	331.95	13.25	70.35	2,619.19

Increase, $4.47.

RALEIGH DISTRICT—Continued.

SUMMARY—FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

Number of auxiliaries	13
Number of members	343
Number of new members	30
Number of life members	51
Number of honorary members	23
Number of subscribers to *Missionary Voice*	121
Number of Bible Women supported	2½
Number of scholarships supported	2
Number of day schools supported	1
Dues	$ 311.86
Conference Expense Fund	67.70
Conference pledge ($1,200)	1,249.80
Thank offering	6.02
Bible Women	150.00
Scholarships	79.25
Mite boxes (Baby Division)	.77
Reavis Day School	225.00
Retirement Fund	13.00
Scarritt Bible and Training School	3.25
Week of Prayer	61.10
Missionary Candidate Fund	1.00
Blanche Fentress Fund	50.00
Total	2,218.75
Young People's Work	524.91
Junior Division, Bright Jewels	442.31
Grand total for 1914	3,185.97

Decrease, $5.64.

SUMMARY—HOME DEPARTMENT.

	Number.	Increase.
Number of adult auxiliaries	14	2
Number of members	405	80
Number of subscribers to *Missionary Voice*	74	.....
Number of members in Mission Study Classes	79	39
Number of auxiliaries observing Week of Prayer	9	.....
Number of committees to look after sick	13	.....
Number of committees to visit strangers	13	.....
Number of auxiliaries giving relief to individuals or families	13	.....
Number of auxiliaries using bulletins, leaflets, and secular press	14	.....
Number of auxiliaries helping to support a deaconess scholarship	2	.....

FINANCIAL SUMMARY.

	Amount.	Increase.
Amount sent Conference Treasurer for dues	$ 399.75	$ 48.35
Amount sent Conference Treasurer for pledge ($300)	281.90	19.76
Amount sent Conference Treasurer for other items (see report)	163.16	.....
Total sent Conference Treasurer	844.81	117.52
Amount expended for local work	2,619.19	4.47
Grand total for 1914	3,464.00	121.99

MISS NETTIE MARVIN ALLEN, *District Secretary.*

ROCKINGHAM DISTRICT.

HOME DEPARTMENT.

	Home.	Local.
Aberdeen	$ 46.50	$
Biscoe	6.20	
Barker's	7.10	
Buie	6.75	
Elizabethtown	18.40	
Fairmont	89.30	288.01
Hamlet	112.55	416.42
Laurinburg	72.70	65.85
Lumberton	50.90	180.83
Lumberton, Young Women	11.10	
Maxton	18.01	
Rowland	55.30	88.45
Rockingham	82.75	713.00
Roberdel	36.95	20.00
St. Pauls	20.45	4.67
Trinity	17.90	40.00
Troy	8.10	
Zion	26.29	
Totals	687.25	1,817.23

ADULT AUXILIARIES—HOME DEPARTMENT.

	Number and Amount.	Increase.
Number of adult auxiliaries in district	18	3
Total number of members in auxiliaries (adult)	320	22
Number of young people's auxiliaries	12	
Total number of members in auxiliaries (young people)	217	
Total number of subscribers to *Missionary Voice*	186	44
Number of auxiliaries observing Week of Prayer	11	
Number of committees to look after the sick	11	
Number of committees to visit strangers	11	
Auxiliaries using leaflets, Bulletins, and secular press	15	
Amount sent Conference Treasurer for dues	$ 328.30	$ 19.04
Amount expended for local work	1,817.23	345.70
Conference Pledge	255.26	23.05
Week of Prayer	41.22	10.92
Deaconess Scholarship	2.00	
Deaconess Relief Fund	4.70	
Conference Expense Fund	55.77	21.82
Total sent Conference Treasurer	687.25	74.83
Total local work	1,817.23	
Grand total	2,504.48	416.48

New organizations, 3.

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

Aberdeen	$ 114.95
Biscoe	93.76
Centenary	45.40
Fairmont	56.50
Gibson	22.00
Hamlet	118.40
Laurinburg	620.60
Lumberton	108.55
Lumberton, Young Women	13.10
Maxton	55.20
Mount Gilead	101.85
Raeford	70.30
Red Springs	73.15
Rockingham	254.84
St. Johns	50.90
Troy	60.65
Wadeville	38.95
Zion	25.91
Roberdel	2.80
St. Pauls	6.45
Elizabethtown	12.10
Miss Emma Page	375.00
Miss Mary Page (Miss Lamb's School)	25.00
Mrs. Frank Page	321.25
Trinity	3.30
Total	2,670.91

ADULT AUXILIARIES—FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

Number of members	441
New members	13
Life members	5
Honorary members	13
Subscribers to *Voice*	196
Subscribers to *Young Christian Worker*	2
Bible Women	1
Dues	$ 457.25
Conference Expense Fund	94.83
Pledge	1,330.06
Week of Prayer	93.03
Bible Women	40.00
Scarritt Bible and Training School	11.20
Miss Lamb's School	25.00
Joy Hardie Bible School	189.09
Retirement Fund	15.45
Total sent to Conference Treasurer	2,255.91
Miss Emma Page (pledge)	375.00
Mrs. Frank Page (scholarship)	40.00
	2,670.91

New organizations, 2.

MISS GEORGIA BIGGS, *District Secretary.*

WARRENTON DISTRICT.

HOME DEPARTMENT.

	Number Members.	Subscriptions to "Voice."	Number in Study Class.	Week of Prayer.	Dues.	Conference Expense Fund.	Retirement Fund.	Scarritt Bible and Training School.	Pledge.	Totals.
Henderson	35	11		$ 9.74	$ 48.00	$	$	$	$ 10.00	$ 67.74
Warrenton	38	12	13	8.45	36.40	4.50	1.50	2.00		52.85
Jackson	14	12			18.60	.50			24.10	43.20
Littleton	17	18	15	6.00	22.35	3.50	1.00	1.30	26.75	60.90
Weldon	50	15	14	6.90	59.00	2.00	.50		33.25	101.65
Winton	13	2	9	10.60	13.25	5.00	1.00	2.00	10.00	41.85
Windsor	20	6	8	9.25	23.80	2.45	1.00	2.00	9.00	47.50
Ahoskie	16	8	10	3.55	16.00	2.25	.90		5.00	27.70
Calvary	23	6		4.28	21.70				7.00	32.98
Arcola	20	6			17.54					17.54
Roxobel	6	1			5.16				5.00	10.16
Battleboro	12	6			11.55	1.35				12.90
Enfield	12	12	8		5.60				.50	6.10
Rosemary	20	2			29.15				13.80	42.95
Totals	296	117	77	$ 58.77	$ 328.10	$ 21.55	$ 5.90	$ 7.30	$ 144.40	$ 566.02

Increase over last year, $193.91.

LOCAL WORK.

	Value Supplies Sent Off.	Value Supplies Used Locally.	Assistance of Needy.	Expended on Parsonage.	Expended on Church.	Expended by the Auxiliary.	Special.	Totals.
Henderson	$ 155.00	$	$ 15.30	$ 154.11	$ 57.23	$	$ 70.00	$ 451.64
Warrenton	37.50			1.45				38.95
Jackson								
Littleton	47.00		6.00	121.45	.50	10.00		184.95
Weldon	44.00	18.25	80.65		43.80			186.70
Winton	6.00	12.65	31.95			1.00		51.60
Windsor	23.30	4.25		11.00	186.00			224.55
Ahoskie				5.15	2.10			7.25
Calvary								
Arcola								
Roxobel								
Battleboro				25.44	13.60	.70		39.74
Enfield		35.00		46.82	65.20	31.55		178.57
Rosemary								
Totals	312.80	70.15	133.90	365.42	368.43	43.25	70.00	1,363.95

Increase over last year, $729.77.

WARRENTON DISTRICT—Continued.

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

	Number of Members.	New Members.	Life Members.	Subscribers to "Voice."	Number in Study Class.	Conference Expense Fund.	Retirement Fund.	Scarritt Bible and Training School.	Blanche Fentress.	Week of Prayer.	Dues.	Pledge.	Totals.
Henderson	45		1	11		$	$	$	$	$	$ 75.15	$ 58.25	$ 133.40
Warrenton	38	1	2	9	13	4.50	1.50	2.00		12.65	36.40	82.00	139.05
Littleton	45	4	4	18	15	4.95	2.20	1.50	1.95	6.01	51.35	129.71	197.67
Weldon	50			15	14	2.00	.70	.25	.50		60.45	57.10	121.00
Jackson	20	4		12		5.25					27.65	100.00	132.90
Colerain	7			5	6	1.50	.30				13.30	15.75	30.85
Murfreesboro	16	2		7		2.25	.45	.90			17.80	30.00	51.40
Union	12			7	10						9.86	10.00	19.86
Enfield	12			12	8						5.15	1.85	7.00
Woodland											4.85	11.20	16.05
Totals	245	11	7	96	56	$ 20.45	$ 5.15	$ 4.65	$ 2.45	$ 18.66	$ 301.96	$ 495.86	$ 849.18

Increase over last year, $76.09.

SUMMARY.

	*Home.	†Home.	Foreign.	Totals.
Audult Auxiliaries	$ 566.02	$ 1,363.95	$ 849.18	$ 2,779.15
Young People's Auxiliaries	8.30		101.40	109.70
Bright Jewels				334.20
Totals	574.32	1,363.95	940.58	3,223.05

*Sent Conference Treasurer. †Local.

Mrs. R. H. Willis, *District Secretary.*

WASHINGTON DISTRICT.

HOME DEPARTMENT.

Auxiliaries	9
Members	383
Young People's Auxiliaries	3
Members Young People's Auxiliaries	133
Junior Divisions	2
Members Junior Divisions	69
Members Baby Divisions	6
Subscribers to *Missionary Voice*	34

SENT TO CONFERENCE TREASURER:		
Dues	$ 292.65	
Baby dues	13.90	
Pledge	83.14	
Deaconess scholarship	3.45	
Conference expense	36.65	
Week of Prayer	10.00	
Retirement	4.05	
Endowment	3.45	
Deaconess relief	2.40	
Junior Division	.15	
Total sent Treasurer		$ 449.84
FOR OTHER PURPOSES:		
Two boxes sent off	47.00	
Supplies given locally	83.09	
Given to the needy	25.92	
Expended on parsonage	278.99	
Expended on church	810.69	
Expended on specials	.10	
Total for these purposes		1,246.06
Grand total obtained and expended		1,695.90

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

Auxiliaries	9
Members	281
Subscribers to *Missionary Voice*	113
Dues	$ 275.00
Pledge	483.00
Conference expense	41.00
Retirement	6.70
Endowment	.33
Scarritt	3.40
Week of Prayer	27.45
Total sent Conference Treasurer	837.11
Two boxes sent off	100.00
Total obtained and expended	937.11

AGGREGATE OF HOME AND FOREIGN DEPARTMENTS.

Sent treasurers	$ 1,286.95
Expended locally and otherwise	1,346.06
Total obtained and expended by both departments	2,633.01

BRIGHT JEWELS.

REPORTED BY MRS. N. H. D. WILSON.

Baby dues	$ 7.25
Baby mite boxes	10.32
Junior dues	79.14
Junior mite boxes	94.39
Home specials	1.50
Total	192.60

YOUNG PEOPLE'S WORK.

REPORTED BY MISS LILLIE DUKE.

3 Auxiliaries, 57 Members.

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT:		
Dues	$ 7.81	
Pledge	6.28	
Retirement and relief	.83	
Conference expense	.25	
McEachern	6.00	
Total		$ 21.17
HOME DEPARTMENT:		
Dues	$ 7.50	
Pledge	1.27	
Retirement and relief	.75	
Conference expense	.25	
McEachern	4.00	
Total		13.77
Total Young People's Work		34.94

SUMMARY.

Both departments	$ 2,633.01
Bright Jewels	192.60
Young People	34.94
Total	2,760.55

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. W. P. BAUGHAM, *District Secretary.*

WILMINGTON DISTRICT.

HOME DEPARTMENT.

	Richlands.	Rose Hill.	Wallace.	Jacksonville.	Swansboro.	Young Women of Fifth Street.	Council.	Grace.	Johnson's Chapel.	Southport.	Whiteville.	Totals.
Number members	35	27	5	20	12	13	10	106	10	7	21	
Subscribers to *Voice*	5		3	3		13		32				
Number taking reading course												
Number Christian Stewards			1									
Number members in Mission Study classes	14			9		13						
Amount for Deaconess Scholarship	$	$	$	$ 1.00	$	$	$	$39.50	$	$	$	$ 40.50
Amount for dues	22.10	23.95	6.25	28.30	1.65	13.60	10.60	102.80	11.50	4.10	9.05	233.90
Amount for pledge	10.00	50.00	15.00	15.00		21.27	8.20	150.00	3.75	2.25		275.47
Amount for Conference Expense Fund	2.25	3.50		3.00		2.50		10.46			1.00	22.71
Scarritt Training School	2.00			2.00								4.00
Week of Prayer	4.35											4.35
Relief Fund	.85	.60	.05					3.90				5.40
Total sent Conference Treasurer	41.55	78.05	21.30	49.30	1.65	37.37	18.80	306.66	15.25	6.35	10.05	586.33

LOCAL WORK.

	Richlands.	Rose Hill.	Wallace.	Jacksonville.	Swansboro.	Young Women of Fifth Street.	Council.	Grace.	Johnson's Chapel.	Southport.	Whiteville.	Total.
Value supplies sent off	$	$	$20.50	$	$	$	$	$48.50	$	$	$	$ 69.00
Cash to Orphanage			6.00									6.00
Specials	5.00	159.48	30.88			13.40		116.24				325.00
Spent on churches			55.25	110.23								165.48
Parsonages	41.52							3.75				45.27
Assistance of needy	3.50					2.00		123.65				129.13
Value of supplies given locally								88.14				88.14
Total, local work	50.02	159.48	112.63	110.21		15.40	380.28					828.02
Grand total												1,414.35

WILMINGTON DISTRICT—Continued.

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

	Trinity.	Richlands.	Whiteville.	Rose Hill.	Wallace.	Grace.	Swansboro.	Young Women of Fifth Street.	Fifth Street.	Council.	Charity.	Southport.	Totals.
Number members	10	18	22	5	30	75	12	15	30	12	16	16	
New members		1	2		1			4	2	3			
Life members		1			1								
Honorary members					5			9	2				
Subscribers to *Voice*		10	8		12	32		15	14	2		4	
Dues	$ 5.65	$20.70	$17.30	$11.25	$29.61	$70.30	$ 1.65	$16.50	$38.15	$ 7.95	$22.18	$10.05	$ 250.29
Conference Expense Fund		2.00	4.00	1.35	3.25	12.60		3.75	8.10		.94		35.99
Pledge	2.60	10.00	27.65	15.00	60.00	750.00		84.10	90.00	7.50	12.00	2.50	1,062.35
Week of Prayer			8.48			16.06			.55		2.50		27.59
Retirement Fund		1.10		.35	.90	2.35		.30	.75		.50		5.95
Scarritt Training School					2.00			.20	.85				3.15
Blanche Fentress Memorial Fund		30.00				25.00			.75				55.95
Totals	$ 8.25	$63.80	$57.43	$27.95	$95.76	$876.31	$ 1.65	$104.85	$139.15	$15.45	$38.12	$12.55	$1,441.27

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

Dues	$ 250.29
Conference Expense Fund	35.99
Pledge	1,062.35
Thank Offering	27.59
Retirement Fund	5.95
Scarritt Fund	3.15
Specials (Blanche Fentress School)	55.95
Total	1,441.27

ADULT AUXILIARIES—HOME DEPARTMENT.

	Number and Amount.	Increase.
Number of adult auxiliaries in district	11	2
Total number of members in auxiliaries (adult)	261	18
Total number of subscribers to *Missionary Voice*	65	
Total number taking Reading Course	12	
Number of members in Mission Study Classes	50	
Number of auxiliaries observing Week of Prayer	4	
Number of committees to look after the sick	6	
Number of committees to visit strangers	5	
Number of auxiliaries giving relief to individuals and families	6	
Amount sent to Conference Treasurer for dues	$ 333.90	
Amount sent Conference Treasurer for specials	275.47	
Amount expended for Week of Prayer	4.35	
Deaconess Scholarship	40.50	
Deaconess Relief Fund	5.40	
Conference Expense Fund	22.71	
Scarritt Fund	4.00	
Total amount sent Conference Treasurer	586.33	
Total local work	828.02	
Grand total	1,414.35	

MRS. W. F. MURPHY, *District Secretary.*

CONSTITUTION OF CONFERENCE SOCIETIES.

1. In each Annual Conference there shall be organized a Conference Society auxiliary to the Woman's Missionary Council.

2. The object of this society is to plan and direct the woman's missionary work of the Conference.

3. The Conference Society shall consist of one or more delegates from each auxiliary, a district secretary from each district, and the following officers: a president, two vice presidents, a corresponding secretary, a recording secretary, a treasurer, and superintendents of study and publicity, of social service, and of supplies. These officers shall be elected by ballot at the annual session and shall constitute the executive committee. The president and the corresponding secretary shall be members of the Woman's Missionary Council.

BY-LAWS FOR CONFERENCE SOCIETIES.

1. The executive committee shall transact business in the interim of the annual sessions. Five shall constitute a quorum.

2. Conference officers shall be nominated by a committee composed of a representative from each district, who shall be chosen by the district delegation. This shall not debar the parliamentary privilege of nomination from the floor nor the privilege of balloting for any person not nominated.

3. The district secretaries shall be nominated by a committee composed of the president, the vice presidents, the corresponding secretary, and the treasurer, and shall be elected by acclamation.

4. Two members of the executive committee of the Conference shall be elected at each annual session as alternates to the Woman's Missionary Council.

5. The president shall preside at all meetings of the Conference Society and of the executive committee and shall actively advance the interests of the work. She shall sign all orders on the treasury.

6. The vice presidents shall perform the duties of the president in her absence.

7. The first vice president shall have charge of the young people's work and shall report quarterly to the first vice president of the Woman's Missionary Council and to the corresponding secretary of the Conference Society.

The second vice president shall have charge of the children's work and shall report quarterly to the second vice president of the Woman's Missionary Council and to the corresponding secretary of the Conference Society.

8. The corresponding secretary shall conduct the correspondence of the society and supply the auxiliaries with information and with literature if so ordered by the Conference. She shall promote Christian stewardship and shall use all possible means for the organization of adult, young people's, and children's auxiliaries in every charge of the Conference, and shall report each new organization to the secretary of the Home Base, to whom she shall also make quarterly reports of the work of the Conference by the 15th day of April, July, October, and January. She shall make an annual report to the Conference Society and report the preceding session of the Woman's Missionary Council. She shall sign all orders on the treasury.

9. The recording secretary shall give notice of all meetings of the Conference Society and of the executive committee and keep the minutes of the same on record.

10. The treasurer shall receive all funds of the society, keeping an account with each auxiliary and submitting the same annually to an auditor. She shall disburse the Conference expense funds on the written order of the president and the corresponding secretary. She shall make an annual report to the Conference Society and shall send itemized reports promptly on the 15th day of April, July, October, and January to the treasurer of the Woman's Missionary Council, therewith transmitting such funds as are collected for the general treasury. She shall also send an itemized statement to the Conference corresponding secretary and to the president.

11. The district secretaries shall organize adult, young people's, and children's auxiliaries and use every available means to promote the work of the Woman's Missionary Society in their districts. They shall present a report of their work at the District Conference and shall hold annual meetings in the district, and all-day meetings whenever practicable. They shall conduct the correspondence with auxiliaries and send a quarterly report to the Conference corresponding secretary and a copy of the same to the president of the Conference Society.

12. The superintendent of study and publicity shall promote mission study and Bible study and shall disseminate missionary information through the Church and secular press. She shall report quarterly to the educational secretary.

13. The superintendent of social service shall stimulate and direct the study and investigation of social questions and shall seek to bring about social reforms. She shall report quarterly to the Council superintendent of social service.

14. The superintendent of supplies shall superintend the sending of boxes and needed supplies to ministers of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, and to institutions in the home and foreign fields under the direction of the Council. She shall report quarterly to the Council superintendent of supplies.

15. Conference societies shall not project new work nor respond to special calls for aid unless authorized by the Woman's Missionary Council.

16. The membership funds of all auxiliary societies—adult, young people's, and children's—also funds contributed to make life members, honorary life members, and honorary life patrons, are a part of the general fund which cannot be diverted by the Conference.

17. A Conference expense fund shall be provided by Conference assessment, the basis to be determined by each Conference according to the requirements. In no case shall membership dues or pledge funds be used for Conference expenses.

18. The thank offering during the week of prayer shall be applied to some specific object, to be determined each year by the Woman's Missionary Council in annual session.

19. The Conference Society may make such by-laws as the work demands, provided they do not conflict with those made by the Council.

20. The last half hour of each forenoon during the annual session of the Conference shall be devoted to Bible study.

CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS FOR ADULT AUXILIARIES.

CONSTITUTION.

Any number of women may form an Adult Society auxiliary to the Conference Woman's Missionary Society by adopting the following constitution and by-laws and electing the officers herein provided:

1. This society shall be called the Woman's Missionary Society of the _____ Church, auxiliary to _____ Conference Society of the Woman's Missionary Council of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South.

2. The object of this auxiliary shall be to hasten the coming of the kingdom of God throughout the world by enlisting the women, young people, and children in a study of the needs of the world and in active missionary service; by raising funds for the evangelization of mission fields at home and abroad, for the maintenance of the institutions under the care of the Woman's Missionary Council, and for the betterment of civic and social conditions.

3. Any one may become a member of this auxiliary by giving prayer and service and by paying twenty cents per month.

Each member shall be asked to make a voluntary offering for the maintenance and extension of the general work. Such funds shall constitute the pledge of the auxiliary. The dues, pledge, and any other undirected funds shall be prorated by the Council—40 per cent for the home and 60 per cent for the foreign work. Opportunities shall be given for offerings to be directed by individual donors for the support of special work. These special offerings by individuals shall not be prorated.

4. Any one may become a life member of the auxiliary by the payment of $25, an honorary life member by the payment of $100, and an honorary life patron by the payment of $300, provided the money be paid for that special purpose. It shall not be included in the pledge nor in any special assumed by individuals or that has been assigned to the auxiliary. Such membership should be considered as an honor, and should not release the holders from the obligations of active membership.

5. Every auxiliary member shall pay toward the relief and retirement fund and the Conference expense fund.

6. The auxiliary shall carry on local work, which shall consist of the care of the parsonage and the charity work of the church. This work may be done through a committee, the funds to be raised as the auxiliary directs.

7. The officers of the auxiliary shall be a president, two vice presidents, a corresponding secretary, a recording secretary, a treasurer, an assistant treasurer, and superintendents of study and publicity, of social service, and of supplies. These officers shall constitute the executive committee of the auxiliary.

8. The auxiliary shall hold one or more meetings during the month for the transaction of business and for the study of the work. The first regular monthly meeting of the year shall be devoted to the consideration of plans and financial pledges for the new year and to the installation of officers. At the last business meeting of the fiscal year the annual election of officers shall be held.

BY-LAWS.

1. The president shall preside at all meetings of the auxiliary and shall actively advance its interests. In her absence one of the vice presidents shall assume her duties.

2. The first vice president shall be responsible for the organization of the Young People's Auxiliary and shall develop and direct its work. She shall send reports when required by the first vice president of the Conference.

The second vice president shall develop and direct the work of the Children's Auxiliary. She shall send a quarterly report to the second vice president of the Conference.

3. The corresponding secretary shall conduct the correspondence of the auxiliary and shall promote Christian stewardship. She shall send to the district secretary full reports by the first of January, April, July, and October. She shall also send to the district secretary and Conference corresponding secretary the names and addresses of all newly elected officers of the auxiliary. She shall send her books to the district meeting for examination.

4. The recording secretary shall keep a record of the regular and called meetings and see that each meeting is properly announced.

5. The treasurer shall collect all moneys of the auxiliary, keep an account of the same, and make an itemized report monthly to the auxiliary. She shall remit to the Conference treasurer on the first of January, April, July, and October, giving an itemized statement of the amount, a duplicate of the same to be furnished the auxiliary corresponding secretary. The books of the treasurer shall be audited annually.

6. The assistant treasurer shall have charge of local funds. She shall make a monthly report to the auxiliary, and she shall furnish the treasurer a quarterly statement to be included in her report. She shall pay out money from the local treasury only upon an order signed by both the president of the auxiliary and the chairman of the local committee.

The auxiliary as a society shall not assume obligation for the assistance or support of outside organizations, such as orphanages, hospitals, travelers' aids, Y. W. C. A., etc.

7. The superintendent of study and publicity shall be responsible for the organization of mission study and Bible study classes and prayer circles and for the dissemination of missionary information through the church and secular press. She shall report quarterly to the Conference superintendent of study and publicity.

8. The superintendent of social service shall stimulate and direct the study and investigation of social questions and shall seek to bring about social reforms. She shall report quarterly to the Conference superintendent of social service.

9. The superintendent of supplies shall superintend the sending of boxes and necessary supplies to ministers of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, and to institutions in the home and foreign fields under the direction of the Council. She shall report each box sent and its value to the Conference superintendent of supplies.

10. The vice presidents, secretary, treasurer, and superintendents shall make written reports at the regular meetings.

CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS FOR YOUNG PEOPLE'S AUXILIARIES.

CONSTITUTION.

1. This auxiliary shall be called the Young People's Society of ____ Church, auxiliary to ____ Conference Society of the Woman's Missionary Council, Methodist Episcopal Church, South.

2. The object of this auxiliary shall be to hasten the coming of the kingdom of God throughout the world by enlisting the young people in active missionary service, by raising funds for the evangelization of mission fields at home and abroad, for the maintenance of the institutions under the care of the Woman's Missionary Council, and for the betterment of civic and social conditions.

3. Any one between the ages of fourteen and twenty-one may become a member of the auxiliary by giving regularly prayer, service, and a stated offering monthly or quarterly. Each member shall be asked to make an offering for the maintenance or extension of such objects of work in the home and foreign fields as are assigned to the young people by the Council. Such funds shall constitute the pledge of the auxiliary.

Membership funds and pledges shall be prorated by the Council treasurer—40 per cent for the home and 60 per cent for the foreign work.

Each member shall be expected to contribute to the retirement and relief fund and to the Conference expense fund.

4. Any one may become a life member of the auxiliary by the payment of $15, provided the money be paid for that special purpose. It shall not be included in the pledge nor in any special assumed by individuals or that has been assigned to the auxiliary.

5. The officers of the auxiliary shall be a president, two vice presidents, a corresponding secretary, a recording secretary, a treasurer, and the superintendents of study and publicity, of social service, and of supplies.

6. The auxiliary shall hold one or more meetings during the month for the transaction of business and for the study of the work. At the last meeting of the fiscal year there shall be the annual election of officers. At the following meeting there shall be a full report of the year's work, installation of officers, and consideration of plans for work and financial pledges for the new year.

BY-LAWS.

1. The president shall preside at the meeting of the auxiliary and shall in every way advance its interests. In the absence of the president, one of the vice presidents shall preside.

2. The first vice president shall keep in touch with the first vice president of the Conference and shall report to her quarterly the full scope of the work.

The second vice president shall assist the second vice president of the Adult Auxiliary in superintending the Children's Auxiliary.

3. The corresponding secretary shall conduct the correspondence of the auxiliary and shall promote Christian stewardship. She

shall report the full scope of the work quarterly to the district secretary, to whom she shall send the names and addresses of the newly elected officers.

4. The recording secretary shall keep a record of the regular and called meetings and shall see that each meeting is properly announced.

5. The treasurer shall collect all funds of the auxiliary, keeping a ledger account of the same, and remit to the Conference treasurer on the first of January, April, July, and October.

6. The superintendent of study and publicity shall be responsible for the organization of mission study and Bible study classes, for prayer circles, and for the dissemination of missionary information through the church and secular press. She shall have charge of subscriptions to the *Missionary Voice* and the *Young Christian Worker*. She shall report quarterly on the first day of January, April, July, and October to the Conference superintendent of study and publicity.

7. The superintendent of social service shall have charge of social service studies issued by the Council. She shall coöperate wherever possible in the social service movements of her church and community. She shall report quarterly on the first day of January, April, July, and October to the Conference superintendent of social service.

8. The superintendent of supplies shall superintend the packing and sending of boxes of supplies to institutions in the home and foreign fields under the direction of the Council. She shall report each box sent and its value to the Conference superintendent of supplies.

CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS FOR CHILDREN'S AUXILIARIES.

CONSTITUTION.

1. This auxiliary shall be called the Children's Society of ____ Church, auxiliary to ____ Conference Society of the Woman's Missionary Council of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South.

2. The object of the auxiliary shall be to hasten the coming of the kingdom of God throughout the world by giving the children of the Church missionary education, training them for Christian service, and by cultivating in them habits of liberal and systematic giving and of daily Bible study and prayer.

3. The Children's Auxiliary shall consist of Baby and Junior Divisions, under the direction of the second vice president of the Woman's Missionary Auxiliary, whose work shall be correlated with that of the Conference second vice president. All membership, mite box, and other undirected funds shall be sent through the Conference treasurer, to be prorated by the Council on the basis of 40 per cent to home and 60 per cent to foreign work.

BABY DIVISION.

1. Any child six years of age or under may become a member of the Baby Division upon the payment of an enrollment fee of 25 cents. Each member of the Baby Division shall be given a certificate of membership and shall be furnished with a mite box for voluntary offerings. The mite boxes shall be opened and their contents sent quarterly by the treasurer of the Junior Division to the Conference treasurer. Where there is no Junior Division through which to report, the second vice president of the Adult Auxiliary shall send the money of the Baby Division to the Conference treasurer.

2. Any one may become a life member of the Baby Division of the Children's Auxiliary by the payment of $5, provided the money be paid for that specific purpose. It shall not be included in the pledge nor in any special assumed by individuals or that has been assigned to the Baby Division of the Children's Auxiliary.

3. Names of children may be placed on the Memorial Roll by the gift of $10.

4. Special meetings for the members of the Baby Division shall be arranged by the second vice president of the Adult Auxiliary, at which time inspirational programs shall be presented.

5. Members of the Baby Division, at the age of six years, shall be promoted to the Junior Division and shall be given certificates of promotion.

6. The second vice president of the Adult Auxiliary shall have charge of the Baby Division.

JUNIOR DIVISION.

1. Any child between the ages of six and fourteen may become a member of the Junior Division of the Children's Auxiliary by giving regularly prayer, service, and a stated monthly offering to missions. Each member of the Junior Division shall be furnished with a mite box for voluntary offerings. Mite boxes shall be opened quarterly,

and the contents, with all other offerings, shall be sent to the Conference treasurer.

2. Any one may become a life member of the Junior Division of the Children's Auxiliary by the payment of $10, provided the money be paid for that special purpose. It shall not be included in the pledge nor in any special assumed by individuals or that has been assigned to the Junior Division of the Children's Auxiliary.

3. Names of children may be placed on the Memorial Roll by the gift of $10.

4. The officers of the Junior Division shall be a president, two vice presidents, a corresponding secretary, a recording secretary, a treasurer, and superintendents of study and publicity and of social service. These officers, with the second vice president of the Adult Auxiliary, shall hold a meeting of the committee of the Children's Auxiliary.

5. The Junior Division shall meet at least twice a month to transact necessary business and to follow the lines of study arranged by the Woman's Missionary Council, for which programs shall be furnished. At the close of each quarter the second vice president of the Adult Auxiliary shall hold a meeting of the executive committee of the Junior Division to see that the work of the quarter is correctly and promptly reported to the proper officers. At the last meeting of the fiscal year there shall be the election of officers. The first regular monthly meeting of the year shall be devoted to making plans and financial pledges for the new year's work.

BY-LAWS.

1. The president shall preside at the meeting of the auxiliary and in every way advance its interests. In the absence of the president, one of the vice presidents shall preside.

2. The first vice president shall assist in the work of the Baby Division. The second vice president shall be agent for the *Young Christian Worker*.

3. The corresponding secretary shall conduct the correspondence of the auxiliary and promote Christian stewardship and shall report quarterly to the district secretary. The corresponding secretary shall send the names and addresses of all newly elected officers to the district secretary.

4. The recording secretary shall keep a record of the regular and called meetings of the auxiliary and shall see that each meeting is properly announced.

5. The treasurer shall collect all funds of the auxiliary, keeping a ledger account of the same, and shall remit to the Conference treasurer quarterly. The treasurer's books shall be audited annually.

6. The superintendent of study and publicity shall assist in organizing and developing mission study and Bible study classes and shall send items of missionary news to the *Young Christian Worker* and local papers.

7. The superintendent of social service shall assist in directing the children in carrying out such lines of social service study and activity as are sent out by the Council.

Mrs. [illegible], New Bern, N. C.

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ANNUAL SESSIONS OF WOMAN'S FOREIGN MISSIONARY SOCIETY OF THE N. C. CONFERENCE.

Date.	Place.
1879	Wilson, N. C.
1880	Winston, N. C.
1881	Durham, N. C.
1882	Raleigh, N. C.
1883	Durham, N. C.
1884	Wilmington, N. C.
1885	Raleigh, N. C.
1886	Goldsboro, N. C.
1887	Greensboro, N. C.
1888	New Bern, N. C.
1889	Charlotte, N. C.
1890	Henderson, N. C.
1891	Durham, N. C.
1892	Goldsboro, N. C.
1893	New Bern, N. C.
1894	Raleigh, N. C.
1895	Fayetteville, N. C.
1896	Kinston, N. C.
1897	Littleton, N. C.
1898	Durham, N. C.
1899	New Bern, N. C.
1900	Wilmington, N. C.
1901	Wilson, N. C.
1902	Raleigh, N. C.
1903	Rockingham, N. C.
1904	Elizabeth City, N. C.
1905	Louisburg, N. C.
1906	Warrenton, N. C.
1907	Greenville, N. C.
1908	Goldsboro, N. C.
1909	Laurinburg, N. C.
1910	Roxboro, N. C.
1911	New Bern, N. C.
1912	Littleton, N. C.

ANNUAL SESSIONS OF WOMAN'S HOME MISSIONARY SOCIETY OF THE N. C. CONFERENCE.

Date.	Place.
1902	Weldon, N. C.
1903	Raleigh, N. C.
1904	Selma, N. C.
1905	Wilmington, N. C.
1906	Fremont, N. C.
1907	Smithfield, N. C.
1908	Durham, N. C.
1909	Louisburg, N. C.
1910	Elizabeth City, N. C.
1911	Raleigh, N. C.
1912	Weldon, N. C.

ANNUAL SESSIONS OF WOMAN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY OF NORTH CAROLINA CONFERENCE.

Date.	Place.
1913	Wilson, N. C.
1914	Durham, N. C.
1915	Rocky Mount, N. C.
1916	Kinston, N. C.

DIRECTORY

OFFICERS OF WOMAN'S MISSIONARY COUNCIL, M. E. CHURCH, SOUTH.

President	MISS BELLE H. BENNETT.
First Vice-President	
Second Vice-President	MRS. W. A. ALBRIGHT.
Administrative Secretaries { Home	MRS. R. W. MACDONELL.
Administrative Secretaries { Foreign	MISS MABEL HEAD.
Educational Secretary	MRS. HUME R. STEELE.
Treasurer	MRS. F. H. E. ROSS.
Home Base Secretary	MRS. BESSIE W. LIPSCOMB.
Recording Secretary	MRS. F. S. PARKER.
Supt. Social Service	MRS. W. J. PIGGOTT.
Supt. of Supplies	MRS. J. H. YARBOROUGH.

OFFICERS OF WOMAN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

President—Mrs. R. B. John.....Smithfield.
1st Vice-President—Mrs. J. M. Rhodes.....Littleton.
2nd Vice-President—Mrs. N. H. D. Wilson.....Goldsboro.
Supt. of Mission Study and Publicity—Mrs. H. J. Boney...Rose Hill.
Supt. Social Service—Mrs. A. S. Barnes.....Raleigh.
Corresponding Secretary—Miss Sallie Lou McKinnon.....Maxton.
Recording Secretary—Miss May Edla Smith.....Gatesville.
Treasurer—Mrs. N. E. Edgerton.....Selma.
Supt. of Supplies—Mrs. Ida T. Wilkins.....Weldon.
Supt. of Literature—Mrs. E. L. Hart.....Wilmington.
Editor Woman's Page—Mrs. E. C. Duncan.....Raleigh.

DISTRICT SECRETARIES.

Durham District—Mrs. W. W. Peele.....Durham.
Elizabeth City District—Mrs. J. N. Winslow.....Elizabeth City.
Fayetteville District—Miss Vara Herring.....Dunn.
Raleigh District—Miss Nettie Allen.....Henderson.
Rockingham District—Miss Georgia Pearsall.....Red Springs.
Washington District—Mrs. Wiley Brown.....Greenville.
Warrenton District—Miss Amma Graham.....Warrenton.
Wilmington District—Mrs. W. F. Murphy.....Wallace.
New Bern District—Mrs. H. J. Faison.....Faison.

OFFICIAL MINUTES

OF THE

WOMAN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY

OF THE

NORTH CAROLINA CONFERENCE OF THE METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH, SOUTH.

THURSDAY--MORNING SESSION.

The Woman's Missionary Society of the North Carolina Conference convened in its fourth annual session in Queen Street Methodist Episcopal Church, South, Kinston, N. C., Thursday morning at 11 o'clock, January 20, 1916, Mrs. R. B. John, President, presiding.

The devotional services were conducted by Mrs. R. B. John. Hymn 652 was sung. Scripture lesson was taken from the 17th chapter of St. John. Intercessory prayer was the subject.

The minutes of the *ad interim* meetings were read.

The following officers and delegates were present:

President, Mrs. R. B. John.
Second Vice-President, Mrs. N. H. D. Wilson.
Superintendent Social Service, Mrs. W. H. Speight.
Superintendent Study and Publicity, Mrs. H. J. Boney.
Superintendent Supplies, Mrs. J. T. Wilkins.
Corresponding Secretary, Miss Sallie Lou McKinnon.
Recording Secretary, Miss May Edla Smith.
Editor *Advocate* Page, Mrs. E. C. Duncan.
Treasurer, Mrs. N. E. Edgerton.

VISITORS.

Mrs. Hume R. Steele, Nashville, Tenn.
Miss Mary Pescud, of Rio De Janerio, Brazil.
Miss Elizabeth Lamb, Porto Alegre, Brazil.
Miss Florence Whiteside, Deaconess, of Edenton Street, Raleigh.
Miss Roberta Ellison, Deaconess, of Hillsboro.

Mrs. J. W. Jenkins, of the Methodist Orphanage.
Rev. A. S. Barnes, of the Methodist Orphanage.
Rev. L. S. Massey, of the Raleigh *Advocate*.
Miss Mabel Elleanor Stone, Field Secretary of the Y. W. C. A.

DELEGATES.

DURHAM DISTRICT—Mrs. B. N. Mann, Secretary.
Miss Eva Crews and Miss Grace Wilder, of Young People's Society, Memorial Church, Durham.
Mrs. J. J. Baldwin, Trinity, Durham.
Miss Annie Webb, Roxboro.

ELIZABETH CITY DISTRICT—Mrs. J. N. Winslow, Secretary.
Mrs. E. L. Winslow, Anderson's Church.
Miss Lula Winslow, Anderson's Church Y. P.
Mrs. R. N. Jenette, Manteo.
Miss Ozelle Payne, Manteo.
Miss Johnnette Midgette, Young People, Manteo.
Mrs. Evelyn Davis, Wanchese.
Miss Maud Kramer, First Church, Elizabeth City.
Mrs. C. W. Gaither, Hertford.
Mrs. Tim Brinn, Hertford.
Mrs. George Hawkwins, Hertford.
Miss Myra Skinner, Hertford, Minnie Wilson Society.
Mrs. J. V. Miles, Philadelphia Auxiliary.

FAYETTEVILLE DISTRICT—Miss Vara Herring, Secretary.
Mrs. W. E. Coltrane, Dunn.
Mrs. Estelle Moore, Dunn.

NEW BERN DISTRICT—Mrs. H. J. Faison, Secretary.
Mrs. Dan Quinerly, Kinston.
Mrs. George Wallace, Centenary Church, New Bern.
Mrs. L. M. Hendren, New Bern.
Mrs. S. H. Scott, Centenary Church, New Bern.
Mrs. D. N. Caviness, Morehead City.
Mrs. R. W. Taylor, Morehead City.
Mrs. G. C. Edwards, Hookerton.
Mrs. J. M. Taylor, Pollocksville.
Mrs. E. N. Ricks, Mount Olive.
Mrs. Fred Mintz, Mount Olive.
Mrs. Nora Johnson, St. Paul, Goldsboro.
Mrs. J. V. Hooks, St. Paul, Goldsboro.
Miss Cora Thompson, St. Paul, Goldsboro.

Mrs. M. J. Best, St. Paul, Goldsboro.
Mrs. D. H. Dixon, St. Paul, Goldsboro.
Miss Mary Spence, Young People, Goldsboro.
Miss Mary Edwards, Young People, Goldsboro.

Raleigh District—Miss Nettie Allen, Secretary.
Miss Laura Beavers, Louisburg College.
Miss Ella Harris, Central, Raleigh.
Mrs. M. Bradshaw, Edenton Street, Raleigh.
Miss Chloe Guirkin, Edenton Street, Y. P., Raleigh.
Miss Sallie Reese, Mary Pescud Society, Raleigh.
Mrs. F. B. McKinne, Louisburg.
Miss Kate High, Young People, Louisburg.
Miss Margarett Hicks, Young People, Louisburg.
Mrs. E. T. White, Oxford.
Miss Edna White, Young People, Oxford.
Miss Margarett Etheridge, Selma.
Mrs. L. G. Patterson, Smithfield.
Mrs. T. Hooks, Smithfield.
Mrs. B. B. Adams, Four Oaks.
Mrs. H. J. Broughton, Kenly.
Mrs. J. H. B. Tomlinson, Elizabeth.

Rockingham District—
Miss Eugenia Cassidy, Ellen Willis Society, Laurinburg.
Mrs. A. M. Norton, Maxton.
Miss Myra Ormond, Young People, Maxton.
Miss Mary Ella McCall, Carolina College.
Mrs. Hunter Land, Hamlet.
Mrs. F. T. Biggs, Rockingham.
Miss Louise Biggs, Young People, Rockingham.

Wilmington District—
Mrs. J. S. Funches, Fifth Street, Wilmington.
Mrs. R. A. Montgomery, Fifth Street, Wilmington.
Mrs. E. L. Hart, Grace, Wilmington.
Mrs. M. L. Stover, Grace, Wilmington.
Mrs. D. O. Daniel, Southport.
Mrs. Ruth Brock, Southport.
Mrs. Jno. W. Hall, Richlands.
Mrs. Nettie DeFord, Richlands.
Miss Alice Amon, Richlands.
Miss Elizabeth Koonce, Richlands.
Mrs. R. L. Farlow, Rose Hill.
Mrs. Mare Petteway, Jacksonville.

WASHINGTON DISTRICT—
Mrs. Wiley Brown, Greenville.
Mrs. R. P. Holt, Rocky Mount.
Miss Callie Quarles, Wilson.
Mrs. W. E. Trotman, Aurora.
Mrs. W. W. Hooker, Aurora.
Mrs. W. A. Thompson, Aurora.
Mrs. M. A. Cox, Warren Chapel.
Miss Grace Warren, Warren Chapel.
Mrs. J. W. Dailey, Washington.

WARRENTON DISTRICT—Mrs. R. H. Willis, Secretary.
Mrs. J. M. Rhodes, Littleton.
Miss Ellen Vaughan, Murfreesboro.
Mrs. T. B. Story, Winton.
Mrs. A. T. Newsom, Winton.
Miss Lena Harrill, Thelma.
Mrs. F. M. Shamburger, Weldon.

The following committees were appointed:

Extension of Work—Miss Sallie Lou McKinnon, Chairman; Miss Vara Herring, Miss Nettie Allen, Mrs. J. N. Winslow, Mrs. H. J. Faison, Mrs. B. N. Mann and Mrs. B. B. Adams.

Young People's Work—Mrs. R. H. Willis, Chairman; Miss Margaret Hicks, Miss Edna White, Miss Laura Beavers, Miss Mary Ella McCall, Miss Myra Skinner, Miss Eugenia Cassidy.

Social Service—Mrs. W. H. Speight, Chairman; Miss Florence Whiteside, Secretary.

Mission Study and Publicity—Mrs. H. J. Boney, Chairman; Miss Ozelle Payne, Miss Jennette Midgette, Mrs. Georgie Wise, Mrs. E. T. White, Mrs. J. H. B. Tomlinson, Miss Mary Edwards, Mrs. J. S. Funches, Mrs. G. C. Edwards, Miss Sallie Reese, Mrs. T. B. Story, Miss Ella Harris, Mrs. J. V. Miles, Mrs. C. W. Smith, Miss Kate High, Mrs. R. L. Farlow and Mrs. D. O. Daniels.

Finance—Mrs. N. E. Edgerton, Chairman; Mrs. T. B. Hooks, Mrs. George Hawkins, Mrs. F. M. Shamburger, Mrs. L. G. Patterson, Mrs. J. T. Wilkins, and Mrs. J. H. B. Tomlinson.

Children's Work—Mrs. N. H. D. Wilson, Chairman; Mrs. M. Bradshaw, Miss Margaret Etheridge, Mrs. A. J. Brough-

ton, Mrs. S. H. Scott, Mrs. L. M. Hendren, Miss E. Koonce, Miss L. M. Vaughan, Mrs. A. T. Newsom, Miss Eva Crews, Miss Maud Kramer, Mrs. Estelle Moore, Mrs. Peter Cuthrell, Mrs. W. E. Trotman and Mrs. E. V. Webb.

By-Laws and Standing Rules—Mrs. E. C. Duncan Chairman; Mrs. B. B. Adams and Mrs. M. Bradshaw.

Nominations—Mrs. S. H. Scott, Chairman; Mrs. B. N. Mann, Mrs. E. L. Hart, Mrs. E. T. White, Mrs. R. H. Willis, Mrs. R. P. Holt, Mrs. George Hawkins and Miss Louise Biggs.

Courtesies—Mrs. H. A. Humble, Mrs. N. B. Moore.

Memoirs—Mrs. S. H. Scott, Chairman; Mrs. L. M. Hendren, Mrs. E. T. White and Miss Cora Thompson.

Resolutions—Mrs. F. B. McKinne, Mrs. E. L. Hart, Mrs. R. H. Willis, Mrs. A. M. Norton, Mrs. J. M. Rhodes.

The President, Mrs. R. B. John, read her annual message to the Conference. This report was adopted by a rising vote of the Conference. (Officers report No. 1.)

Following the announcements the business meeting adjourned.

At 12 o'clock the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper was administered by Rev. H. A. Humble, of Queen Street Church, Kinston, assisted by Rev. Norman Harrison, of Caswell Street Church, Kinston.

THURSDAY--AFTERNOON SESSION.

Devotional services were conducted by Mrs. H. J. Boney. The 13th chapter of 1st Corinthians was the scripture lesson read. Prayer led by Mrs. H. J. Faison. Hymn No. 386 was sung. Conference was called to order by the President; roll was called and the minutes of the morning session read and approved.

Delegates were seated according to their respective districts.

The report of the Fayetteville District was read by the Secretary, Miss Vara Herring. Report adopted.

Mrs. J. N. Winslow, Secretary of the Elizabeth City District, read her report, which was adopted.

Reports from the several Auxiliaries from the Elizabeth City District were given.

Mrs. H. J. Faison, Secretary, gave the report of the New Bern District, which was adopted.

Representatives of several Auxiliaries in the New Bern District told of their work.

Report of the Raleigh District was read by Miss Nettie Allen, Secretary, and was adopted.

There was a thorough discussion concerning the method of reporting to the different officers.

A motion was made and carried that the North Carolina Conference memorialize the Woman's Missionary Council to permit her junior division to contribute one thousand dollars to the Mary Black Hospital of Suchow, China.

After announcements the Conference was dismissed by Mrs. Hume R. Steele.

FRIDAY--MORNING SESSION.

Devotional services were conducted by Mrs. M. L. Stover. 8th chapter of Romans was read; hymn No. 675 was then sung. Conference was called to order at 9 o'clock by the President.

Minutes were read and approved.

Rev. L. S. Massey, of the Raleigh *Christian Advocate,* was introduced to the Conference and made the following proposition: that for every new subscription given the Raleigh *Advocate* solicited through the Woman's Missionary Society the Society was to receive twenty-five cents, and for every renewal ten per cent; provided, an auxiliary procures as many as ten new subscriptions. After some discussion a vote of the measure was taken and the Conference gave a rising vote in favor of the proposition.

The following telegram was read:

Fayetteville, N. C., January 20, 1916.

The Woman's Missionary Conference,
M. E. Church, South, Kinston, N. C.

The Wesley Bible Class Federation send to you its most cordial greetings. We assure you of our deep interest in your labors, and we wish for you an ever increasing sphere of usefulness in the church.

WESLEY BIBLE CLASS FEDERATION,
NORTH CAROLINA CONFERENCE.

Report of the Corresponding Secretary was read by Miss Sallie Lou McKinnon. Report adopted. (Officers report No. 7).

In thanksgiving for the Corresponding Secretary's report the Conference was led in fervent prayer by Mrs. Hume R. Steele.

Announcement was made of the gift of seventy-five dollars from the Aurora Auxiliary to be used in supporting a Bible

Woman in Japan. Another gift was announced by Mrs. John. This gift to be known as the Malene Harrell Grant Memorial Fund, and to be given by the Gates County Missionary Institute, and Mrs. S. I. Harrell and Rev. T. M. Grant. It provides for the support of a Bible Woman in Japan.

Miss Nettie Allen, representing the district secretaries, spoke in appreciation of Miss McKinnon's work during the past year.

The report of the Superintendent of Social Service was read by Mrs. W. H. Speight. Report adopted. (Officers Reports No. 4.)

Upon motion of Miss McKinnon it was decided to send telegrams to our representatives in Congress urging them to support the Smith-Hughes Bill which provides for federal censorship of moving picture films.

Miss Florence Whiteside, Deaconess from Edenton Street Church, Raleigh, addressed the Conference on some lines of social service.

Motion was made that a memorial be sent to our Legislature petitioning that body to establish in North Carolina a home for delinquent girls. Motion was carried.

Mrs. H. J. Boney, Superintendent of Study and Publicity, read her report. Report was adopted. (Officers Report No. 5.)

Mrs. Steele spoke of the urgent necessity of publicity.

The report of the Second Vice-President on Children's Work was read by Mrs. S. H. Scott. Report adopted. (Officers Report No. 3.)

To the delight of the Conference our "Aunt Lizzie" spoke of her many years of joy in the children's work.

Mrs. Steele made an appeal for the Young Christian Worker. A number of subscriptions to the *Young Christian Worker* were taken to be sent to the children of the Methodist Orphanage.

Mrs. N. E. Edgerton read the Treasurer's report. An increase in the Conference of $2,905.99 was reported over last year. The sum total of this year being $38,830.50. Report was adopted. (Officers Report No. 8.)

The report of the First Vice-President on Young People's Work was read by the Recording Secretary. Report adopted. (Officers Report No. 2.)

The Secretary was instructed to send telegrams of loving

greetings to Mrs. R. A. Willis, President Emerita of the Conference; Miss Emma Page, Miss Lillie Duke, Mrs. F. D. Swindell and Mrs. J. E. Stagg.

Mrs. I. T. Wilkins read the report for the Department of Supplies. Report was adopted.

After the announcements were made the Conference adjourned for the noon devotional services which were conducted by Mrs. Hume R. Steele, Educational Secretary of the Woman's Missionary Council. Following the prayer, "Oh Jesus, I Have Promised," was sung. Intercessory prayer was the theme of the inspirational message brought to the Conference by Mrs. Steele.

FRIDAY--AFTERNOON SESSION.

Devotional services were conducted by Mrs. H. J. Faison. Hymn No. 654 was sung. Mrs. F. B. McKinne led in the prayer. The subject was Christ's example in prayer.

Conference was called to order by the President. The minutes were read and approved.

Mrs. R. H. Willis read the report of the Warrenton District. Report was adopted.

Several Auxiliaries told of their work in the Warrenton District.

Report No. 1 on Extension Work was read by Miss Vara Herring. Miss Sallie Lou McKinnon conducted the Workers Conference.

Detailed questions were well discussed on the following subjects:

(1) Organization and Administration.
(2) Literature Study and Publicity.
(3) Young People's Work.
(4) Children's Work.
(5) Annual Meeting.

After the conclusion of the Workers Conference the business session adjourned. Conference dismissed with prayer led by Mrs. John.

SATURDAY--MORNING SESSION.

Devotional service conducted by Miss Elizabeth Lamb. "My Faith Looks Up Unto Thee," was sung. The subject of her message was service. Part of the 26th chapter of Matthew was read.

Conference was called to order by the President. The minutes were read and approved.

The following telegram was read:

Elizabeth City, N. C., January 22, 1916.
Woman's Missionary Conference, Kinston, N. C.
May wisdom and peace abound in all your proceedings.
MRS. R. A. WILLIS.

Report of Rockingham District read by Miss Louise Biggs. Report adopted.

Report of Wilmington District read by Mrs. H. J. Boney. Report adopted.

Several delegates told of the work of the Wilmington District.

No report was read from Washington District.

Several Auxiliaries in the Washington District presented their work.

Mrs. E. C. Duncan, Editor of the *Advocate* Page, read her report. After lengthy discussion the report was adopted. (Officers report No. 9.)

Mrs. B. N. Mann read the report of the Durham District. Report adopted.

Mrs. J. W. Jenkins, of the Methodist Orphanage, told the Conference something of her beautiful work and thanked the Conference for the help many of the Auxiliaries have given.

Rev. A. S. Barnes, Superintendent of the Orphanage, was introduced to the Conference. The Conference gave endorsement to the prospective boys building at the Methodist Orphanage.

Miss Sallie Lou McKinnon, representing Miss Lillie Duke, conducted the Young People's Work.

Delegates from Young People's Auxiliaries told of their work.

Miss Mabel Elleanor Stone, Field Secretary of the Y. W. C. A., told the Conference of interesting ways in which some college girls had revived a missionary church.

Mrs. J. M. Rhodes asked that special prayer be offered for Miss Rosa Lowder, a North Carolinian, who sails to-day for work in Korea.

The business meeting adjourned for the noon devotional hour, which was conducted by Mrs. Steele. Hymn No. 334 was sung. The 41st verse of the 4th chapter of St. John was the thought on which Mrs. Steele based the most helpful lesson of the hour.

SATURDAY--AFTERNOON SESSION.

Devotional services conducted as a memorial service by Mrs. L. M. Hendren and Mrs. S. H. Scott. The 6th verse of the 21st chapter of Matthew and the 22nd chapter of Revelations were read as scripture lessons. Hymn No. 591 was sung. Prayer was led by Mrs. W. E. Trotman.

Mrs. Scott read the names of Auxiliary members, who, during the year, had been taken into the life more beautiful and abundant.

Conference called to order by the President; minutes were read and approved.

Report of Committee on Extension of Work was read by Miss McKinnon. (Committee Report No. 4.)

Report of Committee on Study and Publicity was read by Miss Mary Edwards. (Committee Report No. 5.)

Report of Committee on Children's Work read by Mrs. S. H. Scott. Report adopted. (Committee Report No. 3.)

Report of Committee on Social Service read by Miss Robert Ellison. Report adopted. (Committee Report No. 6.)

Report on condition of the District Secretaries' books read and accepted. (Committee report No. 7.)

Report on Young People's Work read by Miss Margaret Hicks. (Committee report No. 2.)

Report of Committee on Finance read by Mrs. L. G. Patterson. Report accepted. (Committee report No. 1.)

Report of Committee on By-Laws and Standing Rules by Mrs. E. C. Duncan. Report accepted.

Recommendation was made that a Superintendent of Literature be appointed and the recommendation was endorsed by the Conference.

The Nominating Committee made the following report:

President—Mrs. R. B. John.
First Vice-President—Mrs. J. M. Rhodes.
Second Vice-President—Mrs. N. H. D. Wilson.
Superintendent Social Service—Mrs. A. S. Barnes.
Superintendent Study and Publicity—Mrs. H. J. Boney.
Superintendent Supplies—Mrs. I. T. Wilkins.
Superintendent Literature—Mrs. E. L. Hart.
Corresponding Secretary—Miss Sallie Lou McKinnon.
Recording Secretary—Miss May Edla Smith.
Treasurer—Mrs. N. E. Edgerton.

There being no nominations from the floor, the Secretary was instructed to cast the ballots for the nominees and they were elected.

Mrs. E. L. Hart, on behalf of the Grace Auxiliary, of Wilmington, invited the Conference to Wilmington for 1917, and the invitation was unanimously accepted.

The Executive Committee made the following report nominating the District Secretaries:

Durham District—Mrs. W. W. Peele.
Elizabeth City District—Mrs. J. N. Winslow.
Fayetteville District—Miss Vara Herring.
New Bern District—Mrs. H. J. Faison.
Raleigh District—Miss Nettie Allen.
Rockingham District—Miss Georgia Pearsall.
Warrenton District—Mrs. J. S. Nowell.
Washington District—Mrs. Wiley Brown.
Wilmington District—Mrs. W. F. Murphy.
Editor Advocate Page—Mrs. E. C. Duncan.

The report was accepted by acclamation.

The District Secretaries made the following pledges for the year:

Durham District	$ 1,300.00
Elizabeth City District	1,000.00
Fayetteville District	600.00
New Bern District	1,300.00
Raleigh District	1,600.00
Rockingham District	2,500.00
Warrenton District	700.00
Washington District	1,500.00
Wilmington District	1,500.00

Conference instructed the delegates to pledge at the Council the sum of $15,000.

The Conference expressed its appreciation of the splendid work done by Miss Lillie Duke and Mrs. W. H. Speight, retiring officers of the Conference.

The following letter was read in answer to the telegrams sent concerning the Smith-Hughes Bill:

United States Senate,
Washington, D. C.,
January 22, 1916.

President Woman's Missionary Society, Methodist Church, Kinston, N. C.

Dear Madam: I am in receipt of your telegram of January 21st asking me to give my support and vote for the Smith-Hughes Bill. When this matter comes before the Senate it shall receive my serious consideration.

With best wishes, I am, Very truly yours,
F. M. SIMMONS.

Business session adjourned being led in prayer by Mrs. Steele.

EVENING SERVICES.

WEDNESDAY EVENING.

The first evening service was presided over by Rev. H. A. Humble, Pastor of Queen Street Church, Kinston. The inspiring music by the choir, the sincere words spoken by the pastor of the church, the beautiful words of greeting by Mrs. Bettie Lee of the Kinston Auxiliary, intensified the Conference in its oneness of purpose.

Much to the delight of the Conference there followed an informal get-acquainted hour.

THURSDAY EVENING.

Devotional services were conducted by Miss Florence Whiteside. Rev. L. S. Massey, of the Raleigh *Christian Advocate,* led in prayer. Mrs. John introduced as the speaker of the evening, Miss Elizabeth Lamb, of Collegio Americano, Porto Alegre, Brazil. For nearly ten years Miss Lamb has represented the Woman's Missionary work in Brazil. She held the undivided attention of the large congregation as she told in a beautiful and clear way of the opportunities of Brazil and the needs of Brazil. Because of her address every one was deeply impressed with the principal thought that the greatest need of Brazil and the world to-day is the uplifted Christ.

FRIDAY EVENING.

Devotional services were conducted by Mrs. J. M. Rhodes.

The address of the evening was given by Miss Mabel Elleanor Stone, Field Secretary of the Y. W. C. A. Her subject "College Girls Relation to the Church Life of To-day" was intensely interesting and greatly enjoyed by the very large and attentive congregation. Many doubted if a clearer revelation of a College girls character could have been given and many rejoiced in the church of to-morrow under the lead-

ership of consecrated student life. The college girls relation to her church as introduced by Miss Stone is really a new phase of our Conference work, and, as she made the Conference realize, no field is more important.

SATURDAY EVENING.

The Bright Jewels of Queen Street Church, Kinston, gave a most pleasing entertainment under the efficient management of Mrs. E. V. Webb. The Conference much appreciated their delightful songs and recitations. "Aunt Lizzie" so much beloved by all Bright Jewels talked interestingly of their most important work.

At the conclusion of the exercises "Aunt Lizzie" presented the banners to the Bright Jewel Bands as follows:

The Chinese Banner was given to the children of the Memorial Church, Durham, for having raised the largest amount of money during the year.

The Korean Banner went to the Bright Jewels of Hay Street Church, Fayetteville, for having given the most money per capita.

The Cuban Banner was presented to the Bright Jewels of Queen Street Church, Kinston, for having had the greatest increase in their membership during the year.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

At 11 o'clock Sunday morning the annual sermon was preached before the Conference by Rev. N. H. D. Wilson, Pastor of the St. Paul Church, Goldsboro. The text was found in 21st chapter of Isaiah, 11th and 12th verses.

The optimistic note which Mr. Wilson sounded for missionary work and the strong appeal he made for deeper consecration in the lives of all missionary workers very deeply impressed the very large congregation. The sermon from one so vitally connected with the woman's work and with the Board of Missions of the North Carolina Conference was sincerely appreciated by the Woman's Missionary Conference.

SUNDAY EVENING.

Mrs. Hume R. Steele, Educational Secretary of the Woman's Missionary Council, gave the address of the evening. The members of the Conference who heard her rejoiced that they had some part in the great work she told of in China, Japan, Korea, Cuba, Brazil and Mexico, and the Homeland. Others in that great congregation, who knew little of the work undertaken by the women of Southern Methodism, must have been keenly awakened to the opportunities of the christian world of to-day.

At the conclusion of Mrs. Steele's address, Mrs. J. M. Rhodes read the report of the Committee on Resolutions, which was adopted in sincerity by each and every visitor to the delightful town of Kinston.

A gavel, made of wood from the Green Hill House near Louisburg in which home the first Methodist Conference in America was held, was presented to the Conference by Rev. N. H. D. Wilson. The gavel was made even dearer because it had been for years a cherished possession of "Aunt Lucy" Cunningham, and to the Conference it was an additional pleasure that it was presented by a son of the first President of the Woman's Work in the North Carolina Conference. Mrs. John accepted the gavel for the Conference with a speech most pleasing and gracious.

MEMOIRS

IN MEMORIAM.

MRS. N. R. ROBEY.

Born in Johnston county, N. C., Feb. 16, 1842, married Feb. 6, 1867. to Mr. H. F. Grainger, married May, 1887, to Rev. Wm. M. Robey, D.D., died in Goldsboro, N. C., on her seventy-third birthday, Feb. 16, 1915.

For thirteen years president of St. Paul Auxiliary W. F. M. Society; oftentimes as delegate to the Conference of the Society. Always eager and zealous for the world's salvation. A leader beloved and trusted.

MRS. P. G. ALSTON.

In the death of Mrs. P. G. Alston (nee Tempe Lou King), of Louisburg, our community, our church and our Missionary Society sustained a loss which is recognized as irreparable. Never has there lived among us a character in which were more decidedly, and more beautifully blended all the traits of real christian womanhood. Tender and true in every relation of her home life, she was broad—in her charity, and in her sympathy for all who stood in need. Fearless always in defense of what she felt was right, and brave enough to follow the dictates of her conscience at all hazards, she was modestly timid as to attracting notice or comment. Loyally devoted to her Church and its institutions, she shirked no demand made on her for service, sometimes taxing too far her physical strength in the performance of duty. She met every subject with a rare intelligence and made no compromise with wrong. From her youth she gave to the cause of missions a whole-hearted devotion, and a material aid which represented many an act of self-sacrifice. We deplore her loss, and still miss her gentle presence, but the influence of her pure, unselfish life will linger with us, and the memory of her work among us will be an inspiration to those who desire to do great things for the Master's service. ANNIE R. F. MALONE.

IN MEMORIAM.

Mrs. J. A. STEVENS
Mrs. L. D. GIDDENS
Mrs. N. R. ROBEY
St. Paul Auxiliary, Goldsboro.

Mrs. P. G. ALSTON
Mrs. F. U. EDGERTON
Louisburg Auxiliary.

Mrs. STERLING JOHNSTON
Mrs. MARION E. NEWSOME
Littleton Auxiliary.

Mrs. MITTIE MOORE
Mrs. ELIZABETH McINTOSH
Mrs. ELI CAVENAUGH
Grace Auxiliary, Wilmington.

Mrs. HANNAH KOONCE
Mrs. H. B. KOONCE
Richlands Auxiliary.

Mrs. J. A. HARRELL
Mrs. LUCY COSTEN
Philadelphia Auxiliary, Sunbury.

Mrs. MALENE HARRELL GRANT
Kittrells Auxiliary,
President of Gates County Missionary Institute.

Mrs. SALLIE NORFLEET WALTON
Gatesville Auxiliary.

Mrs. W. F. OVERMAN
Mrs. ONETA WHITE WINSLOW
Hertford Auxiliary.

Mrs. W. H. FREEMAN
Mrs. NETTIE BLALOCK
Mrs. ALEATHA LAND
Centenary Auxiliary, New Bern.

Mrs. PRESLEY C. PERSON
Franklinton Auxiliary.

OFFICERS' REPORTS.

[No. 1]

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE.

Greeting.

If you will not count it too late I should like to say to each of you —Happy New Year. It's an old phrase, but born anew as it is every year, the spirit of youth in it cannot die, and the oftener it is given to us to say it, the fuller of meaning it may become.

Into this good wish for you I would pack much of love; of understanding and appreciation of your labors; and earnest prayer for your greater joy and growing efficiency in the service of our Lord. May this be the year wherein the larger Christ is to become ours. The time when more splendid visions are to lead us on, and new power be given with which to meet the wide standing needs of the world.

Plans and Achievements.

Two questions meet us at the end of each year, viz.: What did we plan? What have we done?

We decided a year ago that one of our first aims would be endeavor toward the fuller development of our membership—the finding of a place of activity for each auxiliary member—thereby enlarging the individual life and making for greater efficiency in the organization.

We all recognize that just what has been done in this line of endeavor can never be tabulated. Nevertheless many of us can tell of effort and of results full of promise. We are becoming more skilled in the doing of the things that are to bring the Kingdom.

A very definite part of our plan was to increase our membership and swell our offerings to worthier proportions. Surely we can make no boast, but we can with thankfulness record more than two hundred members added and more than $2,900 increase in offerings. We have not yet fully met our pledge, but we are a bit nearer the goal than 1914 found us. We are going all the way to the goal this year, God helping us! We are going because some of God's little ones wait on our going.

The Campaign.

The campaign for new members and new organizations which was begun last June has really put us just at the beginning of the large things we can do in our conference. We must go steadily on through another year if we are to reap the results from the effort already made that we should reap. I hope this conference session is to formulate and adopt plans for a continuation of our campaign. The nurture, too, of the planting already done since June must be no small part of our care for this year.

Financial System.

Your Executive Committee in session last November decided to ask that this conference adopt the plan of full quarterly payments on all dues and pledges. Some conferences have already adopted

this plan. Many auxiliaries make their payments quarterly, but many do not. I think there is hardly any one step that we might take at this conference which would be so great a stride forward as this one of fixing upon a policy for full quarterly payments.

Harvest Day.

The Council when it meets in April plans to request that a date not later than December 1, be set by each conference to be known as "Harvest Day", when all funds shall be paid in full. I sincerely trust your adoption of this policy now—that we may begin at once to get ready for a glad "Harvest Day" in the North Carolina Conference.

Recapitulations.

These, then are the three points around which our plans for forward-going this year must be made.

First: That all good results of the campaign be conserved and all the good methods of operation be continued, and that very definite plans be determined upon for the continuation of the campaign.

Second: That we fix upon a financial policy and endeavor to bring every auxiliary up to its standard.

Third: That we plan for a "Harvest Day" when all the tithes shall have been brought in, and a time of rejoicing shall come.

REPORT OF FIRST VICE-PRESIDENT.

[No. 2.]

In the work of the Young People's Missionary Society of the North Carolina Conference for the year 1915 there is nothing new or startling to report. It is the same old story of rise and fall, success and failure. Many of the auxiliaries have shown marked interest and enthusiasm in their work; others have struggled for a bare existence; still others have been compelled to disband. Fortunately the number of the last class is small.

Doubtless many of us left the Conference of 1914 determined to do more and better work than ever before. This was our goal and however far short we may have come in our efforts to reach it, we are satisfied that we made no mistake in placing our ideals high.

Each quarter a generous supply of splendid literature including our special leaflets has been sent out. Also our attractive little year book for 1916 and our pledge cards have been distributed with great care.

In an effort to keep before us the standard of excellence established by the council a circular letter emphasizing every phase of our work was sent to every auxiliary at the close of each quarter. Much to my disappointment, however, not a single auxiliary reports itself as having won a position on the Honor Roll.

Our finances have fallen far short this year. Partly due to the fact that three of the strongest auxiliaries became adults and partly because of the financial strain which has swept our country.

Just here let me emphasize once more our "specials" which the Woman's Missionary Council has again assigned to us for 1916, namely; the Sue Bennett School at London, Kentucky and our schools at Songdo and Sevul, Korea. Last year I asked the Young People of this Conference for a contribution of one thousand dollars for this cause. This constituted our pledge. We failed to reach

that amount although we did well, for we raised a total of $811.54, which with a special of $93.60 would have given us sum total of $905.14 had it all been applied to one purpose.

Our failure to attain our financial goal does not, however, indicate stagnation. More new auxiliaries have been organized; more mission study classes maintained; more auxiliaries have observed the week of prayer; and better reporting has been done than during any previous year.

Nineteen new auxiliaries were organized in 1915, giving an increase in membership of nearly two hundred. These new auxiliaries entitle our conference to receive this year as it received last Honorable mention in the annual report of the First Vice-President of the Council at the Council meeting. This is an honor of which we may justly be proud. Such a result proves to us that an honest effort has been put forth by some of our local First Vice-Presidents to fulfil their commission. I regret to add, however, that perfect frankness compels me to state that not all of these new societies are in a vigorous condition. In the face of these facts I feel it necessary to appeal once more to our local First Vice-Presidents urging them to endeavor more earnestly to secure a more hearty co-operation on the part of the young people and at the same time on their own part to render a more enthusiastic service in this field, which has been assigned by Him who said: "Ye have not chosen me, but I have chosen you." "Go ye, therefore, and teach all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost." And as you labor remember that He adds the promise "Lo, I am with you alway even unto the end."

Just a statement of our work by districts.

The Raleigh District is the banner district of the Conference for Young People's work.

Raleigh, Rockingham and New Bern Districts are all doing splendid work. Most of the nineteen auxiliaries are earnest and enthusiastic.

Wilmington and Fayetteville Districts have nine auxiliaries but only one, or possibly two, from each is doing good work, the smaller societies are, however, showing the result of effort.

Durham District has only two auxiliaries and these have done creditable work, but have not measured up to their best.

Elizabeth City, Warrenton, and Washington Districts are poorly organized and of the ten auxiliaries perhaps not more than three can be counted on.

As we consider these conditions do we not realize that the fields truly are white unto harvest and that we must either go or send? Are we satisfied to shirk altogether, or to shift the responsibility to some one else? The command is "Go", but if we cannot go then let us send. "Pray ye therefore the Lord of the harvest that He will send forth laborers into His harvest"—and "Whatsoever He saith unto you do it." Respectfuly submitted,

MISS LILLIE DUKE.

REPORT OF THE SECOND VICE-PRESIDENT.

[No. 3.]

The year 1915 has been a hard one. Though in some ways a good year, it has been a year of discouragement. Our chief difficulties grow out of the indifference of the adult societies to our work. It has been a campaign year and we have tried hard to organize new bands, and have had reasonable success. We report twelve new

Junior Divisions and eleven new Baby Divisions. But seventeen of our Junior Divisions and six of the Baby Divisions have made no report and several other Baby Divisions have made no offerings this year.

We can but trace this falling off to the want of interest on the part of the Auxiliaries. Either they have not elected a second vice-president, or having elected one, have permitted her to do nothing all the year. I will give you the names of these dead bands in hope that some delegate will go home with the great purpose that she will help these children and see that they are set to work again for the Master. Durham District: Burlington and Yanceyville. Elizabeth City District: Kittrell and Winfall. Fayetteville District: Bynum and McGee's. New Bern District: Faison. Raleigh District: Epworth. Rockingham District: Raeford, Rowland, East Laurinburg, St. Paul, Trinity and Zion. Warrenton District: Calvary. Washington District: Swan Quarter. Wilmington District: Maysville. What a shame that all the work of these children should be lost to the Church through the indifference of the Woman's Auxiliaries. The sad sight of a mother permitting the death of her offspring.

Then there are many churches that have never even tried to organize a children's missionary society. They are neglecting the training of the children in the greatest of all the lines of church activity, the great work of the church, the carrying the news of Christ to the Christless millions of the world. Shame on the church which neglects this work. It were better for her that a mill-stone were hanged about her neck and she cast into the midst of the sea, than that through her one of these little ones should perish.

But though we have had these things to hurt and discourage us this year, we have had a great deal to encourage us and our hearts are filled with praise and thanksgiving to-day; for God has given us the victory. We have just closed the best year we have ever had in many respects. There has been more prayer in our work than ever before. Twenty-three Junior Divisions report having observed their day in the week of prayer and send in collections. I have no doubt that others observed the day but they did not report it. Back of our whole Conference work we have the prayers of our own Aunt Lizzie. Though she is no longer able to do active work, she sustains us by her daily prayer; and the prayer of one who lives as near to the Throne as she, can not fail to bring continual blessing on our work. I feel sure that our prayer life has been deepened during the past year.

Our statistics for the year are as follows:

Number of Baby Divisions	49
Number of members	657
Life members added during the year	2
Number of Junior Divisions	104
Number of members	3,119
Subscribers to the Young Christian Worker	421
Raised by Baby Divisions:	
Enrollment Fees	$ 44.28
Pledge	175.64
Life Members	10.00
Raised by Junior Divisions:	
Dues	1026.97
Pledge	1666.42
Memorial Roll	3.00
Week of Prayer	72.14
Specials	87.01

Sent by the Second Vice-President to the Conference Treasurer, $3,085.41. In addition to this the Elizabeth City District sent direct to the Conference Treasurer, $7.00, making a total for the Children of $3,092.41. This is more money than we have ever raised before and our hearts may well overflow with joy and thanksgiving.

The banner for the largest amount of money raised during the year goes to Memorial Church, Durham. That for the largest amount per member to Hay Street, Fayetteville, this band having raised $4.54 per member. How mnay of our Woman's Societies have done as well as this?

The folowing bands have raised a hundred or more dollars and deserve honorable mention: Memorial, $168.45; Centenary, New Bern, $134.35; Grace, Wilmington, $106.39; Laurinburg, $104.81; Hay Street, Fayetteville, and Queen Street, Kinston, $100 each. The banner for the largest number of members added during the year goes to Queen Street Kinston. Centenary, New Bern, still holds the banner for the best Baby Division.

I can not close this report without again thanking our excellent Second Vice Presidents for the faithful work they have done during the year. They are in every way worthy of the high trust that has been committed to them. With few exceptions, they are remarkably faithful and efficient. I feel that the whole Conference owes them a vote of thanks.

As Conference Second Vice-President I would make the following recommendations:

1. That the Woman's Auxiliaries take a greater interest in the children's work. I request that you urge the Auxiliaries to enquire monthly into the work being done by the Second Vice-President and the children; and that they give her constant and loyal support. If any elected Second Vice-President can not perform the duties of her office, urge the Auxiliary to secure some other to take her place.

2. That a greater effort be made to put the Young Christian Worker into the hands of every child.

3. That wherever possible Mission Study classes be formed using the books recommended by the Council. If it be impossible in any case to form the children into a Study Class, let the Second Vice-President secure the books and give the children in story form the information contained in these books.

4. It will be necessary in your Conference Society to speak again in no uncertain words if we are to be permitted to retain our Mary Black Hospital as our Foreign Special. My own experience in the work leads me to believe that this is of the utmost importance. I therefore, request that the Conference Society memoralize the Council in the most emphatic manner to permit us to direct $1,000 of our foreign pledge, as we have now done for so many years, to the Mary Black Memorial Hospital. Under their Station Plan I can see no reason why this may not be done.

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. N. H. D. WILSON.

REPORT OF SOCIAL SERVICE SUPERINTENDENT.

[No. 4.]

The Social Service work of this year as outlined by the Council was the study of the adolescent.

We had spent some time in studying the child, and now had come to that period of mysterious change which marks the adoles-

cent age, a change to which the young creature comes where he feels that life has something new for him—where the things of the child passes away from him and he eagerly reaches out toward the things of the man.

This most critical period in the life of youth needs our tenderest care and our wisest leading. With the physical change comes impatience of restraint, and only he who can bring the conviction that the restraint within must take the place of outward restraint is fit to lead at this ime. Yet how often we see youth live without this self-defence to go out into the world where temptation assails him at every turn, and he soon becomes a prey to the vicious and a menace to society. We find him in our courts, in our jails, driven from one town to another and left to grow more vicious, and drift farther and farther away from the grand and noble life that God would have him lead.

What are we doing to bring back childish innocence and restore the image of the Father to the misguided youth about us?

Are the books he reads uplifting, giving him the highest ideals, compelling his warmest admiration for men and things that are truly great? Are the pictures he sees such as appeal to his higher imagination, his better instincts?

How about his amusements, his companions? Surely if we have any conception of the importance of these things we will continue to study and plan and pray that we may do what is best for our young people this difficult time of life.

Statistics tell of the appalling number of the young who fall by the wayside every year. Not from humble homes alone come these human waifs. Many are from the homes of the cultured, the rich and alas! even from homes where God is worshipped, though happily fewer from these last.

Would that parents would give more time to the study of their children, that they might enter more closely into their lives, and be the companions and confidantes of every stage of their growth.

The conscientious teacher whose wisdom is not from books alone but from human nature is the parents great assistant in guiding the tender feet among the slippery places of life during adolescence. That we may do our duty as citizens in dealing with the youth already fallen for whom we have no adequate means of caring, or methods of reforming, and that we may further safeguard our youth to keep them from falling we have our legislative committee which should look into the matter and wake sentiment that will bring legislators to enact laws that will separate young offenders from hardened criminals, and remove some of the pitfalls into which unwary youth may stumble.

Our duty to the negro is another thing to which the Council directs attention, and while all recognize the duty few auxiliaries have taken any steps to have a Committee on negro work that shall give aid in directing negro women in Social Service, community uplift, Bible study, Mother's meetings, etc. The few instances reported show that such efforts are gratefully received and highly appreciated.

I have attended during the year four district meetings, those of the Durham, New Bern, Wilmington and Fayetteville Districts, besides having the pleasure of presenting the work in a number of auxiliary meetings.

I have sent hundreds of leaflets, studies and blanks, and have yet to confess that I have not brought the auxiliaries to report the work done. I believe our women are interested and working

though slow in taking new steps or in organizing along new lines. Still I trust that we go forward. Respectfuly submitted,

MRS. W. H. SPEIGHT.

STUDY AND PUBLICITY.

[No. 5.]

The report about to be submitted is some improvement over the one read last year. The superintendents have shown increased interest and a greater insight into the ways and means of their work, and the reports have been sent in more promptly.

This report shows some advance numerically over last year's—not as much as we have hoped and prayed for, but an advance nevertheless.

Mission Study.

Eighty-five new study classes were reported—67 Adult, 7 Young People's, and 11 Juniors. With 1017 Adult members, 93 Y. P., and 166 Juniors enrolled. By new classes we mean a class which has adopted a new book. Each book studied entitles a class to a new enrollment. A number of superintendents report members outside of the Auxiliaries and Churches enrolled in their study classes.

Six new missionary libraries were reported. This makes 14 in the conference. Five Auxiliaries have reading circles instead of study classes.

Bible Study.

With much writing and discussion an effort has been made to promote Bible Study. Only ten Adult and three Young People's classes were reported. This greatest of all mission books is neglected in an alarming manner.

The Bulletins.

The reports show fifty-six Auxiliaries using the Bulletin. To be posted on missionary news you must read the Bulletin. It contains the latest news from our home and foreign fields. You should require the most important items to be given in your Auxiliary meetings. I do hope that you will realize the importance of the Bulletin, for it is not only an expense to your conference, but considerable work to get out each month.

Publicity.

The success of missionary work depends to a large extent upon publicity. If we wish to inspire greater interest, let us systematically publish missionary news in an attractive manner, both in our secular and church papers. We can't possibly reach all of our Methodist women by personal work alone. Altho we recognize the importance of personal work, we must also realize the necessity of supporting it with publicity. Publicity is as necessary as personal representation in marketing goods. Advertising without personal representation would not create demand; the two must be worked together and the women of our Auxiliaries must recognize the fact that personal work and publicity must go hand in hand.

After completing a study book many of our Auxiliaries have given public meetings. I have received some interesting programs

and have read accounts of the meetings in the papers which the superintendents have sent me. Three superintendents report to daily papers and ten report regularly to county weekly papers. Quite a number report now and then.

Report Cards.

Such few superintendents have reported their new study classes to our Educational Secretary that I wish to call your attention to the importance of filling these cards out and mailing them. I have sent you report cards and have repeatedly called your attention to their importance, both in circular and personal letters. I also have mentioned it in the Advocate. Please every delegate remember to urge your superintendent to mail this card to Mrs. Steele, and not only urge, but see that it is done.

Let us thank the superintendents for their cordial responsiveness to my letters and appeals, and for their earnest efforts, and I wish to ask the new superintendents to memorize our aim and to strive with all your might to carry it out in full this coming year.

Thanking you, MRS. HARVEY BONEY.

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SUPPLIES.

[No. 6]

Boxes sent Preachers from Jan. 1, 1915, to Jan. 1, 1916:

Trinity, Durham, Y. W. Auxiliary	1	Box	Value	$ 15.00
Louisburg	1	"	"	12.50
Benson	1	"	"	24.00
Raleigh, Edenton Street	2	"	"	47.00
Aberdeen	2	"	"	126.00
Sanford	1	"	"	5.00
Wilson	1	"	"	84.00
Wallace	1	"	"	10.00
Warrenton	2	"	"	22.50
Siler City	1	"	"	15.00
Grace Church, Wilmington	2	"	"	47.50
Fifth Avenue	1	"	"	8.75
Elizabeth City, First Church	2	"	"	114.45
Southport	1	"	"	15.00
Henderson	1	"	"	6.50
Weldon	2	"	"	24.00
Murfreesboro	1	"	"	15.00
Total number boxes sent Preachers	23			$594.20

Boxes sent Orphanage:

Raleigh, Edenton Street, contributed	—	Boxes	Value	$246.00
Fairmont	2	"	"	32.00
Weldon	2	"	"	37.00
Warrenton	2	"	"	25.00
Wilson	2	"	"	83.00
Murfreesboro	2	"	"	40.00
Dunn	1	"	"	18.50
Rocky Mount	6	"	"	80.00
Smithfield	1	"	"	30.00
Louisburg	1	"	"	18.50
Hookerton	2	"	"	32.00
Littleton	2	"	"	41.00

Bethel, Roseboro	1	"	"	8.50
Farmville	1	"	"	36.00
Windsor	1	"	"	26.00
Gatesville	1	"	"	10.55
Kenly, Box of Eggs	—	—	—	
Laurinburg	1	"	"	9.50
Hertford	1	"	"	12.50
Total boxes sent to Orphanage	30			$786.05
Boxes sent Preachers	23			594.20
Total number boxes reported	53			$1380.25

At the meeting in Rocky Mount one year ago, after a stirring appeal from Mrs. Steele, 28 delegates pledged their auxiliaries boxes to be sent to needy preachers. Some of these have not been called on yet awhile—some have found it not possible to redeem their pledge when occasion demanded, but others have responded gladly and liberally.

With some of our Mission preachers this has been a strenuous year. With the low price of cotton in the beginning of the year, the closing of mills in some places, the constant moving of the operatives, who in these mill centers compose the church membership, brought about a deplorable state of affairs and the Pastor was left without material support. At such times these boxes were acceptable and much appreciated. They have not always supplied every need, but have brought help and comfort and the failing faith of the preacher's wife has been strengthened so that she could take a new hold on the duties which often seem to overwhelm.

These figures do not begin to express the benefit received from the boxes sent, nor can the appreciative letters which have come to me be recorded here. They who have helped in this work will doubtless receive the reward promised to those who have ministered to the "little ones" of the Master's Kingdom and I pray that we may be even more ready in the future to heed the calls as they come to our listening ears. Respectfully submitted,

MRS. IDA T. WILKINS.

REPORT OF CORRESPONDING SECRETARY.

[No. 7]

Another twelve months have passed into the history of the Woman's Missionary Society of the North Carolina Conference and they seem only a few days for we realize that most of the things that we had hoped to see accomplished have only been begun. It has been a year of great beginnings, and the result will come.

Last January we decided at the annual meeting to make our conference pledge $15,750 and to pay it with our other funds quarterly. At the end of the third quarter we had paid a little over $6,000 of this pledge and now through strenuous efforts during this last quarter we have brought the amount paid on this pledge to $13,174.90, and on the total amount raised for missions we have an increase over last year for which we are grateful. Yet the Council has been obliged to pay interest on money which it would not have had to pay if we had paid our money into the treasury quarterly. Furthermore, I do believe that if we had paid our money into the

treasury systematically, each quarter we would have at the end of the year found our pledge paid in full.

Early in the year we took as our slogan "An Auxiliary in every church and every woman and child a member." Toward the accomplishment of this ideal we have organized ten adult auxiliaries, fifteen young people's and thirteen children's, but have lost some old ones. It is impossible to tell just how many new members have been gained for as some may remember but I believe most of us have already forgotten, this is our first year of organic union and we have no figures with which we can compare the membership of this year. However with an adult membership of 3,748 and with 155 auxiliaries it would seem that we have only made a beginning in enrolling the women of the North Carolina Conference in the missionary work. Yet these figures tell nothing of the most important work which has been accomplished during this organization campaign. They tell nothing of the many visits made and letters written by district secretaries and conference officers, nothing of the nine district meetings in which this campaign was emphasized, nothing of the fact that from a large number of pulpits in the conference the woman's missionary work has been presented, nothing of the special edition of the Advocate, nothing of the literature which has gone into the places having no auxiliaries and nothing of the prayers that have ascended to the Father for individuals and for organizations. Certainly more women in this conference have had the missionary work brought to their attention during this year than ever before. The ground has been prepared, the seed sown and if we faint not the abundant harvest will surely come.

The item in my report in which I find the greatest cause for rejoicing is in the large increase in the number of auxiliaries observing the Week of Prayer and in the increased offerings at this time. Last year we reported only 50 auxiliaries observing this week. This year the report shows that 121 adult, 10 young people's and 20 junior divisions have observed it. This means that our women have responded to the urgent need of the Japanese for the gospel, and that they have spent a week in the study of these people and this field and that it now has a place in their hearts and prayers. We have responded as the women of the Council had faith to believe we would when they decided to enter Japan this year. But an even greater thing has happened for through this week of prayer we as a body of women have entered into a truer and closer understanding of the love and friendship of Jesus Christ and the results of this closer friendship will show in the work of our conference this year.

Again we must face the fact that we have no young woman in the training school preparing for definite service in the home or foreign field. We had hoped that we might this year. Surely God wants workers from this conference and there has never been a time when a life invested in this way could count for more than such a life now.

Can we realize that we have reached a crisis in the history of the world, in the history of Christianity? If we can realize that the governments and people of practically every non-Christian nation are now in a state of awakening, a plastic state, and that they will not remain in this state long and at the same time realize that we people of America are the only people who can at this time take to these non-Christian lands the Christ and His principles of life and government, we shall know that if we do not meet immediately this crisis by large gifts of money and of lives that in a little while the crisis will have passed and it will probably be thousands of years before another such opportunity will be given. In a little while

it will take ten years and ten lives to do what one year and one life can do now. So let us realize the unprecedented opportunity and responsibility that is ours and let us thank God for the trust that he has placed in us of this land and generation, and relying on the power that is ours through Him who said "All power is given unto me—go ye and make disciples of all nations—and lo I am with you alway" let us as a conference say with renewed determination, "I will go in the strength of the Lord, God."

Respectfully submitted,

SALLIE LOU McKINNON.

STATISTICAL REPORT.

Number Adult Auxiliaries	155
Number Adult Members	3,748
Number of Young People's Auxiliaries	48
Number of Members of Young People's Auxiliaries	815
Number of Junior Divisions	104
Number of members of Junior Division	3,119
Number Baby Divisions	49
Number members Baby Division	421
Subscribers to Missionary Voice	1,155
Subscribers to Young Christian Worker	445
Number of Scholarships supported	7
Number of Bible Women supported	7
Number of Schools supported	2

TREASURER'S REPORT.

[No. 8]

Dues:		
Adult	$ 7,097.93	
Young Peoples	431.20	
Junior Division	1,033.97	
Baby Division	44.28—	$ 8,607.38
Pledge:		
Adult	$ 10,521.25	
Young People	811.54	
Junior Division	1,666.47	
Baby Division Mites	175.64—	$ 13,174.90
Scholarships:		
Deaconess	$ 17.15	
Mary Pescud, Brazil (Raleigh)	40.00	
Elizabeth Stagg, Brazil (Durham)	40.00	
Clara Martin, Korea (Mrs. Page)	40.00	
Bettie Vann, Korea (Franklin Y. P.)	40.00	
Lillian Gill, Brazil	40.00	
Lucy R. Williams	40.00	
Margaret Brown Gates, Brazil	40.00—	$ 297.15
Bible Women:		
Lou Hill Davis (Louisburg)	$ 60.00	
Roxanna Humble H. Wilkins (Carthage)	60.00	
Mary Harris China (Mrs. J. A. Turner)	60.00	
Beatrice Jenkins, Korea	30.00	
————, Wonson, Korea	30.00	
Mary F. Humble (Mrs. Mary F. Humble, Jonesboro)	60.00	
Helen Fitts (Steel Auxiliary, Sanford)	60.00—	$ 380.00

Retirement Fund:		
Adult	$ 183.21	
Young People	21.03—	$ 204.24
Scarritt Endowment Fund:		
Adult	$ 66.18	
Young People	8.00—	$ 74.18
Week of Prayer:		
Adult	$ 977.41	
Young People	31.96	
Junior Division	72.14—	$ 1,081.51
Specials:		
Woman's Work in Japan	$ 15.00	
Miss Green's Salary	28.60	
Mary Black Hospital	44.42	
Thanksgiving Offering	10.02	
Memorial Fund (Baby Division)	3.00	
Life Membership (Baby)	10.00—	$ 111.04
Schools:		
Reavis	$ 200.00	
Blanche Fentress	83.91	
Miss Lambs'	25.00—	$ 308.91
		$ 24,239.31
By receipt Mrs. Ross to Miss Page	$ 25.00	
By checks Mrs. Frank Page to Mrs. Ross	143.75	
By checks Conf. Treas. to Gen. Treas.	24,070.56—	$ 24,239.31

Conference Expense Fund:		
Balance from Foreign Department	$ 313.54	
Balance from Home Department	470.50	
From Adult	850.36	
Young People	46.20	
Collection	21.39—	$ 1,701.99
Expense for Year:		
Printing	$ 314.05	
Conference Officers	721.56—	$ 1,035.61
Balance on hand		$ 666.38

Summary:		
Remitted to Conference Treasurer, 1915	$ 25,157.26	
Reported for local work, 1915	13,673.25—	$ 38,830.51
Remitted to Conf. Treas., 1914, Foreign	$ 16,760.91	
Remitted to Conf. Treas, 1914, Home	7,204.84	
Reported for Local Work, 1914, Home	11,958.77—	$ 35,924.52
Increase over last year		$ 2,905.99
Increase:		
In cash sent to Conference Treasurer	$ 1,191.51	
In Local Work	1,714.48—	$ 2,905.99

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. N. E. EDGERTON, Treasurer.

W. H. CALL, Auditor.

EDITOR'S REPORT OF ADVOCATE PAGE.

[No. 9.]

The report of your Editor is necessarily similar to the last. Week after week I have given you the best page I could considering the help you have given me. The Special Edition was gotten out by Mrs. John and Mrs. Plyler who took charge of it in my absence. It was a very nice edition and much enjoyed.

I was handicapped by illness in my family so feel that the work I did for several weeks was not up to the standard. I would suggest that more of our women would subscribe to the Advocate and read our page. If you would have a message from our Conference or from the field at large you will find it there.

It is not an easy thing to cull two thousands words every week from the papers so we do hope that you will send something of real interest from each Auxiliary during the coming year. I would suggest that the District Secretaries make special effort to have contributions sent to your Editor and that these contributions consist of something more than a list of officers. The list is all right but have something to tell us of what you have done to push the work and encourage the workers.

If the page has not been what it might have been it is your fault, for if you would all lend a helping hand it would be much improved. May this be done another year so that your Page may be really an inspiration and help to our readers.

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. E. C. DUNCAN, Editor.

COMMITTEE REPORTS.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON FINANCE.

[No. 1.]

We, your committee on finance, recommend the following:

1. That each member of every auxiliary in the Woman's Missionary Society shall pay 50 cents into the Conference expense fund during the first quarter.

2. That every member of all Young People's Auxiliaries pay 25 cents into the Conference expense fund.

3. That every member of each auxiliary shall pay 10 cents into the retirement fund.

4. That all bills for printing minutes and such blanks, postals and circular-letters as advance our work be paid from the treasury.

5. That all printing of minutes and such blanks, postals and circular letters as advance our work be put in the hands of our Publishing House, as far as possible.

6. That the expense of Conference officers be paid from our Conference expense fund.

7. That, whereas our president and corresponding secretary are members of our Missionary Council, we authorize our treasurer to pay all necessary expenses incurred by their attendance upon said Council.

8. That the treasurers of each auxiliary shall send all money and reports to district secretary of her district, and the money and reports of young people be sent to first vice-president, and money and reports of junior baby division be sent to second vice-president the first day of the month each quarter.

9. That each district secretary, first and second vice president, shall send all money and reports to Conference treasurer by the 10th of the month each quarter.

10. That we pay a pledge of $15,000, above our dues and specials, for the support of our missionary work.

11. That the dues for junior division be 5 cents each month.

12. That we heartily endorse the Harvest Day suggested by Mrs. Lipscomb and presented to us by the president in her message.

MRS. N. E. EDGERTON, Chairman.
MRS. L. T. PATTERSON, Secretary.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON YOUNG PEOPLE'S WORK.

[No, 2.]

We, your committee on Young People's Work, recommend:

1. That the regular bulletin shall be presented at the regular monthly meetings.

2. That the Young People shall read the Missionary Voice and use it at the meetings.

3. That the Young people shall observe one day during the week of prayer.

4. That all mission study classes be reported to the Conference Superintendent of Study and Publicity, as well as to the Conference 1st Vice-President.

5. That an effort shall be made to organize a Bible Study Class in every Auxiliary.

6. That each Auxiliary shall strive to reach the standard of excellency adopted by the Council.

7. That each auxiliary shall make a diligent study of the specials assigned by the Council for this year namely: Seoul, Songdo, and the Sue Bennett Memorial, with gifts of love, prayer and money.

We further recommend that articles 1, 2 and 3 on page 55 in 1915 report shall be made standing rules.

MRS. R. H. WILLIS, Chairman.
MARGARET HICKS, Secretary.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CHILDREN'S WORK.

[No. 3.]

We, the Committee on Children's Work, beg leave to make the following recommendations:

1. That the Woman's Auxiliaries take a greater interest in Children's work. We request that you urge the auxiliaries to inquire monthly into the work being done by the second Vice-President and the children; and that they give to her constant and loyal support. If any Vice-President elected cannot perform the duties of the office urge the auxiliary to secure another woman to take her place.

2. That a greater effort be made to put The Young Christian Worker into the hands of every child.

3. That wherever possible Mission Study classes be formed using the books recommended by the Council. If it be impossible in any case to form the children into a study class let the Second Vice-President secure the books and give the children the information in story found contained in these books.

4. It will be necessary for our Conference Society to speak again in no uncertain words if we are to be permitted to retain our Mary Black Hospital as Our Foreign Special. Our experience in the work leads us to believe that this is of utmost importance. We therefore request the Conference Society to memorialize the Council in the most emphatic manner to permit us to direct one thousand dollars of our foreign pledge as we have done for many years to the Mary Black Memorial Hospital under the Station plan. We see no reason why this may not be done.

Respectfully submitted,
MRS. N. H. D. WILSON, Chmn.
MRS. S. H. SCOTT, Secy.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON EXTENSION OF WORK.

[No. 4.]

Your committee on extension of work submits the following report:

Whereas, we are fully conscious of the fact that the Missionary work of our Conference is being done by a small proportion of the women of our church, and as we realize the increased need for workers and the need of the women for the blessing that comes through the missionary work; and, whereas, one year of the campaign for new members and organizations has been too short a time to accomplish what we must do in enlisting the membership of the church:

1. We recommend, that the Corresponding Secretary and the first and second Vice-Presidents of the Conference constitute a continua-

tion committee, who shall have charge of the movement in the Conference.

2. We recommend, that each District Secretary name a committee in her district of which she shall be chairman. This committee shall plan and direct the campaign in the district.

3. We recommend, that the district secretary through the auxiliaries secure a membership committee who shall canvass the church for new members.

4. We recommend, that the months of March and April be set apart as special campaign months for securing new members and organizations.

SALLIE LOU McKINNON, Chairman.
VARA L. HERRING, Secretary.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON MISSION STUDY AND PUBLICITY.

[No. 5.]

Whereas, missionary facts are the most vital facts and most interesting facts in the world—and believing that missionary education is the foundation of efficient religious work and that Publicity of facts gained is the most successful method of reaching the disinterested members of our church, we, your committee on Mission Study and Publicity recommend the following:

1st. That the monthly bulletin be presented in whatever way deemed best by the auxiliary at each monthly meeting.

2nd. That every member of each auxiliary take the Missionary Voice, and church papers—as only informed women can be interested in missions.

3rd. That a systematic effort shall be made by each superintendent of publicity to send missionary news items regularly to the secular papers as well as the Conference Advocate.

4th. That an effort be made by every superintendent of Study and Publicity to organize a Bible Study Class.

5th. And we further recommend that articles numbers two, three and four on page fifty-seven of our annual report for 1915 be made standing rules.

Respectfully submitted,
MRS. HARVEY BONEY, Chairman.
MISS MARY EDWARDS, Secretary.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON SOCIAL SERVICE.

[No. 6.]

We, the Social Service Committee, make the following recommendations:

1st. That a standing committee on social service be chosen by the Superintendent of Social Service for the purpose of investigating present conditions, discovering needs and bringing them before the people through our local and church papers.

This committee shall also work to secure needed legislation making adequate provision for dependent and delinquent children through the establishment of Juvenile Courts and also of a home for unprotected and wayward girls.

2nd. That each local auxiliary co-operate with all civic organizations for public welfare. To promote Traveler's Aid work, industrial clubs and classes, night schools and to secure wholesome recreation.

3rd. That we decry the tendency to immodest dress and call attention to its evils.

4th. That we seek to mould public sentiment in favor of a single standard of morality.

5th. That we carry out faithfully the program outlined by the Council for work among the negroes.

And that we also endeavor to form training classes for negro nurse girls.

6th. That a careful study of the subjects sent out each quarter shall be made by the committee on social service and the results of the study shall be presented to the auxiliaries at our meeting each quarter according to the program in The Voice.

7th. That as Christian women we take a definite stand for National Prohibition and use our influence to promote any measures looking toward that end.

MRS. W. H. SPEIGHT, Chmn.
MISS FLORENCE WHITESIDE, Sec.

EXAMINATION OF SECRETARIES BOOKS.

[No. 7.]

We, your Committee on Examination of the District Secretaries' books, have examined same and find them correct.

MRS. E. N. RICKS,
MRS. D. O. DANIELS,
MISS SALLIE REESE.

RESOLUTION.

Whereas, the Woman's Missionary Conference has been so delightfuly entertained by the church and people of Kinston; therefore be it resolved,

1. That we wish to express our heartfelt appreciation of the gracious hospitality dispensed and numberless courtesies shown.

2. That we greatly appreciate the presence of our connectional officer, Mrs. Hume R. Steele, believing that her prayer lessons at the noon hour, her help in solving the knotty problems of the business sessions and her splendid review of the field this evening will result in much more efficient work during the coming year in our North Carolina Conference.

3. That we tender our sincere thanks to Rev. N. H. D. Wilson for the very timely message so forcefully delivered in the annual sermon to this body.

4. For the graceful address of welcome at the beginning, for the beautiful flowers decorating these altars all during the meeting, for the inspiring music furnished time and again by this splendid choir, for the untiring co-operation of the pastor of Queen Street Church and to every one who has contributed in any way to the success of this Conference we extend our thanks and leave this benediction:

"The Lord bless thee and keep thee:
The Lord make his face shine upon thee,
and be gracious unto thee:
The Lord lift up his countenance upon thee,
and give thee peace."

MRS. F. H. McKINNE,
MRS. EDGAR HART,
MRS. R. H. WILLIS,
MRS. A. M. NORTON,
MRS. J. M. RHODES.

YOUNG PEOPLE'S FINANCIAL REPORT FOR 1915 FROM EACH AUXILIARY.

DISTRICTS.	Dues	Pledge.	Conference Fee.	Retirement.	Relief.	Scarritt B. T. S.	Bettie Vann Scholarship.	Miss Green's Salary.	Week of Prayer.	Mary Black Hospital.	Totals.	
DURHAM DISTRICT—												
Memorial	$ 15.20	$ 32.70	$ 4.00	$ .45	$ .45	$.....	$.....	$.....	$ 5.00	$.....	$ 57.80	
Roxboro	10.80	19.85	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	30.65	—$ 88.45
ELIZABETH CITY DISTRICT—												
Kittrells	5.10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5.10	
Elizabeth City	2.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2.00	
Andersons	17.50	10.40	3.70	.35	.35	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	32.30	
Manteo	.80	.....	.50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1.30	—$ 40.70
FAYETTEVILLE DISTRICT—												
Sanford	18.95	84.35	2.00	.55	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	105.85	
Carthage	11.20	7.50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	18.70	
Pittsboro	5.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5.00	
Siler City	4.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1.85	.....	5.85	—$ 135.40
NEW BERN DISTRICT—												
St. Paul, No. 1	50.05	107.00	7.25	1.70	1.65	2.00	.....	.....	3.00	.....	172.65	
St. Paul, No. 2	12.30	25.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2.70	.....	40.00	
Faison	7.70	9.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16.70	
Ocracoke	8.13	5.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	13.13	
Morehead City	21.86	12.85	.....	1.00	1.00	.....	.....	.....	1.20	.....	37.91	—$ 280.39
RALEIGH DISTRICT—												
Edenton Street	11.95	20.63	3.50	1.20	.20	2.00	.....	.....	7.56	25.00	72.04	
Oxford	24.10	70.00	4.90	1.10	.55	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	106.65	
Franklinton	11.70	37.45	.....	.75	.....	.....	40.00	.....	.....	.....	89.90	
Plank Chapel	13.45	12.00	2.50	.55	.45	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	28.95	
Selma	8.70	25.00	2.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	35.70	
Cary	11.84	6.36	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	20.75	
Louisburg	18.80	38.90	2.90	.55	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	61.15	—$ 409.14
ROCKINGHAM DISTRICT—												
Star	5.92	5.33	.....	.80	.73	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	12.78	

Lillie Duke	10.69	36.60	1.50	.35	.35	2.00					51.49	
Fairmont	13.38	19.25									32.63	
Maxton	18.70	63.17	2.50	.35	.30				3.85		88.87	
Rowland	2.85	5.00	2.00	.80		2.00					12.65	
Red Springs	1.40										1.40	
Mount Gilead	13.15	51.00	.30	.55	.35						65.35	—$ 265.17
WARRENTON DISTRICT—												
Littleton	7.10							8.60			15.70	
Windsor	5.40	5.00									10.40	
Littleton College	9.00							20.00	2.75		31.75	—$ 57.85
WASHINGTON DISTRICT—												
Spring Hope	4.75	10.00									14.75	
Greenville	6.20										6.20	
Ransomville	1.38	5.00									6.38	—$ 27.33
WILMINGTON DISTRICT—												
Ida Hankins	15.00	57.20	2.70	.65	.65						76.20	
Southport	.90										.90	
Richlands	19.05	15.00	3.95		2.30				1.50		41.80	
Wallace		5.00									5.00	
Rose Hill	3.70	10.00									13.70	
Special	1.50										1.50	—$ 139.10
Grand Total												$ 1443.53

LOCAL WORK—		
Relief	$ 59.16	
Church	46.75	
Parsonage	143.08	
Delegates	30.45	
Value of Box	5.00	—$ 284.44

YOUNG PEOPLE'S FINANCIAL REPORT FOR 1915, BY DISTRICTS.

	Dues.	Pledge.	Conference Fee.	Retirement.	Relief.	Scarritt B. T. S.	Week of Prayer.	Mary Black Hospital.	Bettie Vann Scholarship.	Miss Green's Salary.	Totals.
DURHAM DISTRICT— 2 Auxiliaries, 68 Members	$ 26.00	$ 52.55	$ 4.00	$ .45	$ .45	$	$ 5.00	$	$	$	$ 88.45
ELIZABETH CITY DISTRICT— 4 Auxiliaries, 61 Members	25.40	10.40	4.20	.35	.35						40.70
FAYETTEVILLE DISTRICT— 4 Auxiliaries, 88 Members	39.15	91.85	2.00	.55			1.85				135.40
NEW BERN DISTRICT— 5 Auxiliaries, 103 Members	100.04	158.85	7.25	2.70	2.65	2.00	6.90				280.39
RALEIGH DISTRICT— 7 Auxiliaries, 149 Members	100.54	210.34	15.80	4.15	1.20	2.00	10.11	25.00	40.00		409.14
ROCKINGHAM DISTRICT— 7 Auxiliaries, 122 Members	66.09	180.35	6.30	2.85	1.73	4.00	3.85				265.17
WARRENTON DISTRICT— 3 Auxiliaries, 33 Members	21.50	5.00					2.75			28.60	57.85
WASHINGTON DISTRICT— 3 Auxiliaries, 56 Members	12.33	15.00									27.33
WILMINGTON DISTRICT— 5 Auxiliaries, 116 Members	38.65	87.20	6.65	.65	2.95		1.50				137.60
Special	1.50										1.50
Total											$ 1443.53

STATISTICAL REPORT OF BRIGHT JEWELS.

	Baby Division.			Junior Division.					
	Number Members.	Amount of Enrollment Fees.	Amount from Mite boxes.	Number Members.	Amount of Membership Fees.	Amount from Mite boxes.	Week of Prayer.	Total Amount Raised.	Sub. to Young Christian Worker.
Durham District—									
Chapel Hill	....	.....	.....	22	$ .45	$ 10.00	$.....	$ 10.45	—
Leasburg	....	.....	.....	31	14.50	8.00	.....	22.50	—
Memorial	20	.....	5.90	80	36.81	69.84	12.90	$ 168.45	27
Rougemont	....	.....	.....	10	.....	.83	.....	.83	—
Roxboro	24	.....	5.88	24	16.39	18.54	1.00	41.81	1
Trinity	....	.....	.....	48	7.70	27.30	.....	35.00	3
Total	44	.....	$ 11.78	215	$ 75.85	$ 134.51	$13.90	*$ 279.04	31
Elizabeth City District—									
Anderson	....	$.....	$.....	14	$ 2.70	$ 9.80	$.....	$ 17.76	12
Belhaven	....	.....	.....	10	.75	.....	.....	.75	—
City Road	....	.....	.....	49	18.50	12.74	.....	31.24	1
Edenton	....	.....	.....	15	2.25	11.25	.....	13.50	—
First Church	17	1.00	1.25	59	6.05	2.85	.....	11.15	5
Gatesville	3	.....	1.36	24	1.25	11.38	.....	13.99	5
Hertford	7	.....	.75	63	33.75	45.70	2.80	83.00	26
Manteo	5	.....	.35	22	.....	5.65	.....	6.00	—
Moyock	....	.....	.....	27	9.00	9.75	.....	* 32.75	5
Pantego	3	.75	.....	16	7.00	37.25	.....	45.00	—
Parkers	....	.....	.....	31	8.66	5.85	.....	14.51	—
Philadelphia	7	.50	2.20	13	4.37	8.15	.....	15.22	—
Roper	....	.....	.....	39	5.00	5.32	.....	10.32	11
Wanchese	....	.....	.....	69	29.45	30.00	.....	59.45	11
Zion	2	.50	3.00	....	.....	.....	.....	3.50	—
Total	44	$ 2.75	$ 8.91	451	$ 133.99	$ 195.69	$ 2.80	*$ 358.14	76
Fayetteville District—									
Camp Ground	5	$ 1.00	$ 1.30	32	$ 7.90	$ 7.65	$.....	$ 17.85	3
Carthage	7	.....	.....	17	7.00	.....	.....	7.00	—
Dunn	23	.50	5.71	47	23.66	18.60	1.52	* 60.00	7
Hay Street, Fayetteville	....	.....	.....	22	9.03	87.50	3.47	100.00	1
Pittsboro	3	.65	.....	16	5.28	4.13	1.10	11.16	7
Roseboro	3	.75	.46	19	4.67	4.75	.....	10.63	5
Sanford	....	.....	.....	28	7.41	7.59	.....	15.00	2
Siler City	....	.....	.....	22	1.00	.....	.....	1.00	1
Total	41	$ 2.90	$ 7.47	203	$ 65.95	$ 130.22	$ 6.09	*$ 222.64	25
New Bern District—									
New Bern, Centenary	40	$ 1.25	$ 11.51	90	$ 37.60	$ 72.04	$ 1.95	*$ 134.35	12
Goldsboro, Elm Street	....	.....	.....	70	15.10	3.25	.....	18.35	1
Goldsboro, St. Paul	....	.25	3.01	50	2.10	45.11	3.00	54.51	1
Hookerton	15	2.75	7.81	17	12.40	16.76	2.00	41.72	8
Kinston	7	1.75	4.23	56	20.50	73.52	.....	100.00	—
LaGrange	....	.....	.....	12	2.05	2.52	.....	4.57	—
Morehead City	11	1.25	.35	32	9.10	19.79	2.10	32.59	10
Ocracoke	....	.....	.....	13	7.50	.....	.....	7.50	—
Ormonds Chapel	....	.....	.....	15	2.65	12.31	.....	14.96	1
Pollocksville	....	.....	.....	12	4.51	2.54	.....	7.05	3
Trenton	12	1.25	3.75	47	14.05	12.65	.....	38.51	2
Total	85	$ 8.50	$ 38.57	414	$ 127.56	$ 260.49	$ 9.05	*$ 454.17	37
Raleigh District—									
Banks	....	$.....	$.....	28	$ 9.98	$ 9.09	$.....	$ 19.07	2
Benson	....	.....	.....	23	1.80	.....	.....	1.80	1
Cary	....	.....	.....	15	10.25	5.00	.....	* 20.25	—
Central, Raleigh	....	.....	.....	20	2.00	8.00	.....	10.00	—
Clayton	....	.....	.....	36	7.67	8.45	1.00	17.12	6
Edenton St., Raleigh	50	.50	.....	58	9.07	16.80	13.41	39.84	—
Four Oaks	....	.....	.....	15	4.85	5.15	.....	10.00	—

STATISTICAL REPORT OF BRIGHT JEWELS.

	Baby Division.			Junior Division.					
	Number Members.	Amount of Enrollment Fees.	Amount from Mite boxes.	Number Members.	Amount of Membership Fees.	Amount from Mite boxes.	Week of Prayer.	Total Amount Raised.	Sub. to Young Christian Worker.
Raleigh District—Con.									
Franklinton	23	5.75	7.84	17	12.00	49.01	8.28	82.88	16
Fuquay Springs	....	.....	.....	32	7.83	.....	.....	7.83	7
Kenly	4	.....	.....	18	1.45	.....	.....	1.45	—
Louisburg	14	.....	.....	31	24.60	29.40	.....	54.00	3
Oxford	14	.75	.....	23	14.05	26.77	.....	41.57	10
Plank Chapel	....	.....	.....	21	5.60	17.50	.....	23.10	—
Salem	....	.....	.....	8	4.65	6.00	.....	10.65	2
Selma	17	.25	3.52	45	1.00	9.28	1.00	15.05	1
Smithfield	34	.75	12.32	17	6.95	.....	.....	20.02	—
Zebulon	....	.....	.....	14	8.30	6.00	.....	14.30	5
Total	156	$ 8.00	$ 23.68	421	$ 132.05	$ 196.51	$23.69	$ 388.93	54
Rockingham District—									
Aberdeen	....	$.....	$.....	16	$ 6.85	$ 1.50	$.....	$ 8.35	2
Biscoe	5	1.25	1.05	25	8.65	8.19	1.04	20.18	7
Elizabethtown	....	.....	.....	8	5.09	18.19	.....	23.28	5
Fairmont	4	.25	.....	30	12.25	8.00	.....	20.50	4
Hamlet	20	.50	.....	65	22.62	73.77	.....	96.89	—
Laurinburg	12	.....	.....	76	19.44	85.37	.....	104.81	16
Lumberton	....	.....	.....	25	5.00	25.00	.....	30.00	—
Maxton	18	1.00	1.89	34	12.00	10.42	1.00	26.31	3
Mount Gilead	....	.....	.....	64	26.60	16.00	.....	42.60	20
Red Springs	....	.....	.....	35	9.30	19.12	2.85	31.27	4
Rockingham	2	.....	2.25	58	21.53	46.25	.....	70.03	8
Troy	....	.....	.....	20	7.40	4.25	.....	11.65	3
Total	61	$ 3.00	$ 5.19	456	$ 156.73	$ 306.06	$ 4.89	$ 485.87	72
Warrenton District—									
Ahoskie	5	$.....	$.....	10	$ 4.50	$.....	$.....	$ 4.50	1
Enfield	....	.....	.....	14	5.95	1.19	.....	7.14	—
Garysburg	....	.....	.....	48	21.75	5.00	.....	26.75	4
Henderson	....	.....	.....	20	7.00	14.72	.....	21.72	12
Jackson	....	.....	.....	20	20.23	28.53	.....	48.76	8
Littleton	20	2.13	13.25	28	20.70	49.12	.....	85.20	7
Macon	....	.....	.....	20	17.10	9.00	.....	26.10	—
Murfreesboro	13	.....	2.40	25	10.74	32.21	2.97	48.32	—
Roanoke Rapids	....	.....	.....	30	11.55	5.00	.....	16.55	—
Roxobel	....	.....	.....	16	5.00	.....	.....	5.00	1
Seaboard	3	.25	.....	20	1.90	.....	.....	2.15	—
Warrenton	7	.....	7.22	25	14.85	17.87	.....	39.94	10
Weldon	25	.75	12.05	46	24.00	27.03	2.00	65.83	5
Windsor	12	1.00	9.20	20	12.25	7.85	.....	30.30	—
Winton	9	.25	2.25	14	5.03	8.59	.....	16.12	4
Total	94	$ 4.38	$ 46.37	356	$ 182.55	$ 206.11	$ 4.97	$ 444.38	52
Washington District—									
Campbell's Creek	8	$ 2.00	$.....	25	$ 1.22	$.....	$.....	$ 3.22	—
Elm City	....	.....	.....	20	9.95	.....	.....	9.95	—
Eureka	....	.....	.....	15	4.40	1.40	1.40	7.20	—
Farmville	....	.....	.....	20	1.40	9.05	.....	10.45	—
Fremont	....	.....	.....	25	1.39	4.65	.....	6.04	2
Greenvile	....	.....	.....	20	.....	1.75	.....	1.75	—
Nashville	....	.....	.....	22	4.18	8.35	.35	12.88	4
Rocky Mount	16	4.00	1.00	64	25.00	51.00	.....	81.00	2
Spring Hope	7	.75	.83	21	3.14	.....	.....	4.72	2
Tarboro	....	.....	.....	11	4.15	3.19	.....	7.34	1
Washington	24	.50	8.63	29	14.40	18.67	2.00	44.20	17
Wilson	8	.50	4.02	42	5.45	33.89	.....	43.86	3
Total	63	$ 7.75	$ 14.48	314	$ 74.68	$ 131.95	$ 3.75	$ 232.61	31

STATISTICAL REPORT OF BRIGHT JEWELS.

	Baby Division.			Junior Division.					
	Number Members.	Amount of Enrollment Fees.	Amount from Mite boxes.	Number Members.	Amount of Membership Fees.	Amount from Mite boxes.	Week of Prayer.	Total Amount Raised.	Sub. to Young Christian Worker.
Wilmington District—									
Clinton	....	$.....	$.....	20	$ 3.00	$.....	$.....	$ 3.00	——
Council	....	.....	.....	14	.25	.25	.....	.50	——
Fifth Avenue	16	4.25	8.55	....	.....	.....	.....	12.80	——
Grace	31	2.50	9.84	70	31.53	62.52	.....	106.39	9
Johnsons Chapel	....	.....	.....	14	4.84	.....	.....	4.84	6
Richlands	8	.....	.80	24	10.85	6.30	3.00	20.95	6
Rose Hill	....	.....	.....	20	4.19	2.92	.....	7.11	——
Southport	....	.....	.....	82	7.00	.....	.....	7.00	——
Wallace	....	.....	.....	37	10.90	11.72	.....	22.62	4
Whiteville	14	.25	.....	18	5.05	11.22	.....	16.52	5
Total	69	$ 7.00	$ 19.19	299	$ 77.61	$ 94.93	$ 3.00	$ 201.73	30
SUMMARY—									
Durham District	44	$.....	$ 11.78	215	$ 75.85	$ 134.57	$13.90	*$ 279.04	31
Elizabeth City District	44	2.75	8.91	451	133.99	195.69	2.80	* 258.14	89
Fayetteville District	41	2.90	7.47	203	65.95	130.22	6.09	* 222.64	25
New Bern District	85	8.50	38.57	414	127.56	260.49	9.05	$ 454.17	37
Raleigh District	156	8.00	23.68	421	132.05	196.51	23.69	$ 388.93	54
Rockingham District	61	3.00	5.19	456	156.73	316.06	4.89	485.87	72
Warrenton District	94	4.38	46.37	356	182.55	206.11	4.97	444.38	52
Washington District	63	7.75	14.48	314	74.68	131.95	3.75	232.61	31
Wilmington District	69	7.00	19.19	299	77.61	94.93	3.00	201.73	30
Total	657	$44.28	$175.64	3119	$1026.97	$1666.47	$72.14	*$ 3085.51	421

* Counted in these totals are the following special gifts: Memorial, Durham, Elizabeth Stagg Scholarship, $40.00; Memorial, Roll, $3.00; Moyock, Elizabeth City District, Special Mary Black, $14.00; Dunn, Fayetteville District, Special Mary Black, $10.01; Centenary, New Bern, Baby Life Members, $10.00; Cary, Raleigh District, Bible Woman, $5.00.

DISTRICT SECRETARY'S REPORT.

FAYETTEVILLE DISTRICT.	Number of Members.	New Members.	Sub. to Missionary Voice	Mission Study.	Dues.	Conference Expense Fund.	Retirement Fund.	Pledge.	Week of Prayer.	Specials.	Scarritt Bible Training School.	Amount sent to Conference Treasurer.	Local Work.	Totals.
Belle Bennett	21	....	12	....	$ 43.31	$ 8.57	$ 1.62	$ 18.00	$.....	$.....	$ 2.00	$ 73.50	$ 38.50	$ 112.00
Bethel	17	....	7	....	14.65	.....	.....	12.70	.....	.....	.....	27.35	13.00	40.35
Black's Chapel	....	....	....	....	5.50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5.50	.....	5.50
Bynum	17	....	5	....	18.00	.....	.....	20.00	.....	.....	.....	38.00	4.00	42.00
Camp Ground	27	1	6	....	22.80	.....	.....	2.50	.....	.....	.....	25.30	.....	25.30
Carthage	39	....	10	10	70.35	3.30	.....	5.49	22.75	60.00	.75	162.64	65.25	227.89
Dunn	57	2	16	15	105.00	20.50	4.00	109.00	9.25	2.25	.....	250.00	122.10	372.10
Hay Street	60	....	19	20	116.62	22.37	.....	130.95	12.55	.....	4.00	286.49	359.20	645.69
Jonesboro	24	4	4	....	16.50	.....	.....	25.00	.....	60.00	.....	101.50	.....	101.50
Meroney	....	....	....	....	8.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	8.00	.....	8.00
Pittsboro	19	....	....	....	42.65	.....	.....	14.00	8.92	.....	.....	65.57	34.00	99.57
Siler City	19	1	9	....	36.00	2.50	2.50	38.00	12.60	.....	4.00	95.60	.....	95.60
Steele Street	20	....	7	....	17.00	.....	.20	.....	3.45	60.00	.....	80.65	.....	80.65
Daub's Church (new)	....	....	....	....	2.50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2.50	.....	2.50
Magee's Ladies Aid Society	....	....	....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5.00	.....	5.00	.....	5.00
Total	320	....	95	45	$ 518.88	$ 57.24	$ 8.32	$ 375.64	$ 69.52	$ 187.25	$ 10.75	$1227.60	$ 636.05	$ 1863.65

Amount raised by Young People	$ 135.40
Amount raised by Bright Jewels	$ 222.64
Grand Totals	$ 2221.69
Increase	$ 261.52

DISTRICT SECRETARY'S REPORT.

NEW BERN DISTRICT.	Number of Members.	New Members.	Sub. to Missionary Voice	Dues.	Retirement Fund.	Conference Expense Fund.	Pledge.	Week of Prayer.	Scarritt Bible Training School.	Total sent to Conference Treasurer.	Local Work.	Grand total.
Ocracoke	17	1	4	$ 17.00	$.....	$ 1.00	$ 23.00	$.....	$.....	$ 41.00	$.....	$ 41.00
Beaufort	16	....	4	27.15	.....	.....	14.00	.....	.....	41.15	.....	41.15
Snow Hill	20	....	5	18.40	.30	1.00	39.30	5.76	.....	64.76	50.00	114.76
Pollocksville	17	1	5	23.50	.....	3.00	16.00	.....	.....	44.50	109.35	163.85
LaGrange	20	....	3	25.45	.....	.....	25.00	.....	.....	50.45	71.25	121.70
Oriental	17	1	2	4.40	.....	.....	17.60	.....	.....	22.00	.....	22.00
Morehead City	48	....	7	79.25	2.55	15.15	100.40	5.00	.25	202.60	274.00	476.60
Kinston	50	....	20	104.35	4.05	20.00	210.25	.....	.....	338.65	200.00	538.65
Faison	9	1	2	9.00	.....	1.00	329.50	.....	.....	349.50	65.00	414.50
Centenary	119	1	26	225.40	5.60	29.75	300.00	72.50	.....	633.30	190.45	823.75
Hookerton	17	....	11	22.40	1.30	3.25	46.04	11.43	.....	84.42	150.00	234.42
St. Paul	102	6	32	188.50	.....	.....	304.00	15.00	.....	507.50	400.00	907.50
St. John	20	....	3	22.85	.....	.....	29.65	3.50	.....	56.00	100.00	156.00
Mount Olive	24	....	10	50.05	1.00	8.00	15.00	2.50	.....	76.55	400.00	476.55
Trenton	18	....	8	30.00	1.00	2.00	30.00	5.00	.....	66.00	.....	66.00
Total	514	....	142	$ 842.70	$ 17.80	$ 84.15	$1499.54	$ 118.69	$ .25	$2568.38	$2020.05	$ 5322.99

Total amount raised by Bright Jewels	$ 454.17
Total amount raised by Young People	$ 280.39
Grand Total	$ 3302.94
Increase	$ 1152.07

DISTRICT SECRETARY'S REPORT.

RALEIGH DISTRICT.	Number of Members.	New Members.	Sub. to Missionary Voice	Mission Study.	Dues.	Conference Expense Fund.	Thank Offering.	Retirement Fund.	Pledge.	Week of Prayer.	Specials.	Scarritt Bible Training School.	Total for year.	Local Work.
Apex	13	2	5	....	$ 20.40	$ 4.05	$.....	$ 2.20	$ 20.00	$.....	$.....	$.....	$ 46.65	$ 16.72
Banks Chapel	35	1	13	3	47.88	10.45	.....	1.95	84.30	1.42	30.00	4.00	180.00	.....
Benson	18	1	3	....	40.00	8.50	.....	1.70	21.90	3.15	.....	.....	75.25	13.60
Cary	18	....	4	....	39.20	7.45	.....	2.35	23.20	6.00	.....	.....	78.20	2.00
Central	31	....	6	....	42.95	5.25	1.00	1.30	80.00	6.01	.....	.....	136.51	94.52
Clayton	22	....	....	....	31.70	1.50	.....	.....	16.50	3.35	.....	.....	53.05	233.00
Edenton Street	103	1	14	19	220.70	45.00	.....	8.50	166.50	20.86	$ 50.00	.....	511.56	2432.43
Four Oaks	12	5	5	....	16.35	4.00	.....	.90	43.75	.....	.....	.....	65.00	.....
Franklinton	22	....	15	....	39.60	7.80	.90	2.08	441.14	38.50	.....	2.00	432.02	25.00
Fuquay Springs	15	1	7	....	30.65	4.14	.....	.97	23.00	3.60	.....	.....	62.36	6.00
Kenly	19	....	....	....	45.25	8.45	.....	2.85	.....	.....	.....	.....	56.55	11.25
Louisburg	58	1	20	42	139.00	.....	.....	.....	212.46	10.60	320.00	.....	682.00	522.50
Mary Pescud	27	1	8	....	53.70	11.35	.....	3.00	100.00	26.29	40.00	4.07	238.41	12.50
Oxford	36	2	12	20	62.55	11.80	.....	2.00	155.13	.....	.....	4.00	235.48	56.00
Plank Chapel	11	....	4	....	23.35	3.90	.....	1.15	31.02	.....	.....	2.00	61.42	.....
Salem	6	1	....	....	18.40	.....	.....	.....	12.00	.....	.....	.....	30.40	.....
Selma	23	7	10	....	46.65	4.35	.....	1.00	15.00	7.00	.....	.....	74.00	.....
Smithfield	52	1	27	7	107.55	16.20	.....	3.25	50.00	26.00	5.00	.....	208.00	671.90
Franklinton, Young Women	20	....	....	....	40.80	7.00	.....	1.40	58.56	.....	.....	.....	107.76	.....
Elizabeth	8	....	4	....	20.00	3.60	.....	.80	24.40	.....	.....	.....	48.80	.....
Total	547	24	137	91	$1086.68	$ 164.79	$ 1.90	$ 37.40	$1578.80	$ 152.78	$ 445.00	$ 16.07	$3483.42	$ 4175.62

Young People	$ 409.74
Bright Jewels—(Baby Division, $31.68; Junior Division, $357.25)	$ 388.93
Grand Total	$4282.09

DISTRICT SECRETARY'S REPORT.

ROCKINGHAM DISTRICT	Number of Members.	New Members.	Subscribers to Missionary Voice.	Mission Study.	Dues.	Conference Expense Fund.	Retirement Fund.	Pledge.	Week of Prayer.	Specials.	Scarritt Bible Training School.	Local Work.	Totals.
Aberdeen	20	.....	6	.....	$ 53.20	$ 12.30	$.....	$ 815.80	$ 35.50	$ 65.00	$.....	$ 135.20	$ 1117.00
Biscoe	13	.....	6	.....	24.75	1.25	.....	37.53	.....	.....	.....	.....	63.53
Biscoe, Young Women	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	50.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	50.00
Centenary	17	.....	8	.....	22.80	3.80	.60	9.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	36.20
Elizabethtown	17	.....	9	.....	24.40	.....	.....	18.60	8.12	.....	1.30	.....	52.42
Fairmont	30	.....	14	.....	46.70	5.27	3.06	55.00	18.50	.....	.90	92.90	222.33
Hamlet	26	.....	15	.....	50.40	.....	.....	53.00	5.30	.....	.....	292.28	400.98
Laurinburg	48	.....	17	.....	79.75	16.90	1.00	578.25	16.40	.....	4.20	.....	696.50
Laurinburg, Young Women	30	.....	10	.....	34.22	.....	.....	160.00	.....	40.00	.....	.....	234.22
Lumberton	28	.....	17	.....	70.00	5.75	.80	87.25	15.50	.....	.....	.....	179.30
Lumberton, Young Women	24	.....	8	.....	4.50	.....	.....	3.50	.....	.....	.....	.....	8.00
Maxton	30	.....	15	.....	49.80	4.75	.....	54.95	4.90	.....	.90	.....	115.30
Mount Gilead	27	.....	16	.....	50.85	2.50	.80	29.05	17.55	.....	1.80	.....	102.55
Raeford	24	.....	12	.....	10.95	.15	.....	.85	.....	.....	.....	.....	11.95
Red Springs	25	.....	10	.....	22.95	3.15	.80	40.00	4.60	.....	1.40	.....	72.90
Roberdel	19	.....	8	.....	13.35	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	13.35
Rockingham	48	.....	36	.....	124.60	26.50	5.70	250.35	50.00	.....	2.00	27.00	486.15
Rockingham, Young Women	35	.....	25	.....	62.80	15.85	6.95	99.35	15.00	.....	4.00	.....	203.95
Rowland	21	.....	8	.....	41.69	12.36	.....	10.00	.....	.....	.....	50.90	114.95
St. Johns (New)	24	.....	16	.....	27.00	5.25	1.10	18.90	.....	.....	.....	.....	52.25
St. Pauls	8	.....	4	.....	11.10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	11.10
Trinity	6	.....	1	.....	6.50	2.35	.15	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	9.00
Troy	21	.....	8	.....	54.50	5.95	1.20	13.80	.....	.....	.10	.....	75.55
Wadeville	14	.....	3	.....	20.15	2.80	.....	23.80	.....	.....	1.20	.....	47.95
Zion	9	.....	6	.....	18.15	3.00	.60	18.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	39.75
Total	564	.....	278	.....	$ 925.11	$ 129.88	$ 22.76	$2426.98	$ 191.37	$ 105.00	$ 17.80	$ 598.28	$ 4417.18

Amount raised by Young People	$ 264.57
Amount raised by Bright Jewels	$ 477.68
Grand Total	**$ 5159.43**

DISTRICT SECRETARY'S REPORT.

WARRENTON DISTRICT.	Number of Members.	Subscribers to Missionary Voice.	Mission Study.	Dues.	Conference Expense Fund.	Retirement Fund.	Pledge.	Week of Prayer.	Scarritt Bible Training School.	Total for Work of Council.	Local Work.	Grand total.
Ahoskie	10	6	8	$ 23.20	$ 3.85	$ 1.85	$ 12.25	$ 5.69	$.....	$ 46.84	$ 54.00	$ 100.84
Arcola	20	6	.....	28.40	.....	.....	10.00	.....	.....	38.40	.....	38.40
Battleboro	12	6	.....	5.20	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5.20	.....	5.20
Calvary	25	6	.....	38.90	1.40	5.35	10.00	3.16	.....	58.81	.....	58.81
Colerain	7	5	5	19.75	2.75	.....	16.25	1.25	.....	40.00	30.49	70.49
Enfield	10	7	.....	21.75	.....	.....	1.70	.....	.....	23.45	39.45	62.90
Henderson	59	12	34	95.50	3.40	5.65	66.20	.....	4.00	174.75	71.36	246.11
Jackson	20	12	.....	35.10	2.00	2.00	100.00	.....	.....	139.10	55.00	194.10
Littleton	46	14	19	74.30	4.35	1.65	151.22	16.94	.85	249.51	152.93	402.44
Murfreesboro	16	5	8	29.50	5.00	.90	32.00	5.00	.....	72.40	80.00	152.40
Rosemary	15	.....	.....	18.20	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	18.20	34.19	52.39
Warrenton	35	16	15	82.00	17.50	3.50	81.50	25.00	2.00	211.50	67.50	279.00
Weldon	60	15	14	144.00	12.00	4.00	125.00	10.00	4.00	299.00	399.43	698.43
Windsor	21	7	8	43.15	4.25	1.00	.....	9.15	.....	57.55	177.03	234.58
Winton	13	5	9	24.45	.50	.10	10.00	11.30	1.92	48.27	3.54	51.81
Union	12	3	6	16.46	.....	.10	10.09	2.40	.....	29.05	19.50	48.55
Conway	17	3	.....	15.70	1.20	.....	22.96	9.32	.....	49.18	.....	49.18
Roanoke Rapids	26	5	10	25.36	.....	.....	15.95	9.45	.....	50.76	50.00	100.76
Totals	424	133	136	$ 740.92	$ 58.40	$ 26.10	$ 665.12	$ 108.66	$ 12.77	$1611.97	$ 1234.42	$2846.39

Amount raised by Young People	$ 57.85
Amount raised by Bright Jewels	$ 444.38
Total amount raised by the District	$3348.62

DISTRICT SECRETARY'S REPORT.

WASHINGTON DISTRICT.	Mission Study.	Number of Members.	Sub. to Missionary Voice	Dues.	Conference Expense Fund.	Retirement Fund.	Pledge.	Week of Prayer.	Scarritt Bible Training School.	Blanche Fentress School.	Deaconess Scholarship.	Total sent Conference Treasurer.	Local Work.	Grand Total.
Fairfield	....	25	....	$ 30.95	$ 4.00	$.....	$ 50.00	$.....	$.....	$.....	$.....	$ 84.95	$	$ 84.95
Wilson	71	71	15	149.99	18.45	3.35	261.85	3.85	.....	5.00	.....	442.49	504.25	946.74
Greenville	20	44	16	25.70	4.25	.90	51.65	12.75	.....	.....	.....	95.25	217.73	312.98
Tarboro	35	35	12	51.00	.70	.....	8.50	.....	.....	.....	.....	60.20	.....	60.20
Nashville	....	17	6	45.50	.....	.....	26.60	11.75	.....	.....	.....	83.85	161.30	245.15
Rocky Mount	25	63	16	99.50	24.70	4.35	171.45	8.82	4.35	.....	.....	313.17	.....	313.17
Washington	8	32	20	66.00	8.00	2.15	150.17	22.62	.....	.....	.....	258.94	.....	258.94
Beamans	9	11	5	22.15	.....	.....	8.25	.....	.....	.....	.....	30.40	.....	30.40
Campbell's Creek	....	32	....	23.90	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	23.90	12.65	36.55
Farmville	16	26	9	35.35	1.85	.40	3.00	12.20	.....	.....	.....	52.80	263.06	315.86
Aurora	....	33	6	34.65	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	34.65	90.73	125.38
Fremont	....	23	7	55.75	6.00	1.00	21.00	3.90	.....	.....	.....	87.65	18.30	105.95
Young W. Home, Rocky Mount	....	44	10	65.25	11.92	2.96	100.00	.....	.....	.....	.90	181.03	78.80	259.83
Spring Hope	....	24	8	36.00	.....	.....	.....	7.26	.....	.....	.....	43.26	21.90	65.16
Stantonsburg	....	12	5	12.80	.....	.85	.90	3.70	.....	.....	.....	18.25	.....	18.25
Swan Quarter	....	25	3	6.25	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6.25	.....	6.25
Total	184	517	138	$ 760.74	$ 79.87	$ 15.96	$ 853.37	$ 96.85	$ 4.35	$ 5.00	$ .90	$1817.04	$ 1368.72	$3185.76
5 Baby Divisions	....	63	....	7.75	.....	.....	4.48	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	$ 12.23
12 Junior Divisions	....	314	....	74.68	.....	.....	131.95	3.75	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	$ 210.38
3 Young People's Auxiliaries	....	56	....	12.33	.....	.....	15.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	$ 27.33

Young Woman's Home, Rocky Mount, clothes two orphans at Raleigh.

DISTRICT SECRETARY'S REPORT.

WILMINGTON DISTRICT.	Number of Members.	New Members.	Sub. to Missionary Voice.	Mission Study.	Dues.	Conference Expense Fund.	Retirement and Relief Fund.	Pledge.	Week of Prayer.	Blanche Fentress School Fund.	Scarritt Bible Training School.	Amount sent Conference Treasurer.	Local Work.	Supplies sent off.	Totals.
Grace, Wilmington	122	1	14	20	$ 206.85	$ 38.35	$ 7.65	$ 842.15	$ 33.50	$ 25.50	$ 2.00	$1156.00	$ 590.28	$ 55.26	$1801.54
Council	....	....	....	....	2.40	....	....	....	....	....	....	2.80	....	....	2.40
Whiteville	24	5	8	....	59.00	12.05	2.25	19.75	7.00	2.25	....	100.05	....	....	100.05
Y. W. of 5th Ave,, Wil...	15	....	15	....	18.05	9.00	.70	77.31	....	....	....	105.06	....	....	105.06
Rose Hill	17	1	9	8	31.35	....	....	65.00	4.20	....	....	100.55	....	....	100.55
Fifth Avenue, Wilmington.	31	....	18	12	69.40	15.25	2.90	100.00	4.25	....	....	191.80	291.49	....	483.29
Johnson's Chapel	6	....	....	....	8.10	....	....	5.00	....	....	....	13.10	....	....	13.10
Wallace	35	1	7	....	52.00	9.10	2.95	55.80	....	....	....	119.85	53.84	10.00	183.96
Richlands	31	1	5	12	46.05	8.95	2.55	30.65	6.70	....	....	94.90	90.05	....	184.95
Southport	19	5	10	16	40.28	....	....	20.00	5.85	....	....	66.13	80.86	29.00	178.99
Jacksonville	20	....	3	....	25.30	....	....	14.00	....	....	4.00	43.30	59.22	....	102.82
Charity	12	....	....	....	14.27	.25	.20	9.90	....	....	....	24.62	....	....	24.62
Trinity	15	....	....	....	9.85	....	....	....	....	....	....	9.85	....	....	9.85
Clinton (New)	27	27	....	9	35.20	1.68	1.55	3.00	3.00	....	....	44.00	....	....	44.00
Winnabow (New)	8	8	....	....	4.80	....	....	....	....	....	....	4.40	....	....	4.40
Burgaw (New)	18	18	2	....	18.00	....	....	....	2.65	....	....	20.65	....	....	20.65
Magnolia (New)	10	10	1	....	1.15	....	....	....	2.50	....	....	3.65	....	....	3.65
Total	300	77	92	77	$ 641.65	$ 94.60	$ 18.50	$1242.56	$ 69.65	$ 27.75	$ 6.00	$2100.71	$1165.74	$ 94.26	$3360.71

Amount sent Conference Treasurer by Young People	$ 137.60
Amount sent Conference Treasurer by Bright Jewels	$ 202.23
Total amount sent Conference Treasurer	$2440.54
Grand Total	$3700.54

CONSTITUTION OF CONFERENCE SOCIETIES

1. In each Annual Conference there shall be organized a Conference Society auxiliary to the Woman's Missionary Council.

2. The object of this society is to plan and direct the woman's missionary work of the Conference.

3. The Conference Society shall consist of one or more delegates from each auxiliary, a district secretary from each district, and the following officers: a president, two vice-presidents, a corresponding secretary, a recording secretary, a treasurer, and superintendents of study and publicity, of social service, and of supplies. These officers shall be elected by ballot at the annual session and shall constitute the executive committee. The president and the corresponding secretary shall be members of the Woman's Missionary Council.

BY-LAWS FOR CONFERENCE SOCIETIES.

1. The executive committee shall transact business in the interim of the annual sessions. Five shall constitute a quorum.

2. Conference officers shall be nominated by a committee composed of a representative from each district, who shall be chosen by the district delegation. This shall not debar the parliamentary privilege of nomination from the floor nor the privilege of balloting for any person not nominated.

3. The district secretaries shall be nominated by a committee composed of the president, the vice-presidents, the corresponding secretary, and the treasurer, and shall be elected by acclamation.

4. Two members of the executive committee of the Conference shall be elected at each annual session as alternates to the Woman's Missionary Council.

5. The president shall preside at all meetings of the Conference Society and of the executive committee and shall actively advance the interests of the work. She shall sign all orders on the treasury.

6. The vice-presidents shall perform the duties of the president in her absence.

7. The first vice-president shall have charge of the young people's work and shall report quarterly to the first vice-president of the Woman's Missionary Council and to the corresponding secretary of the Conference Society.

The second vice-president shall have charge of the children's work and shall report quarterly to the second vice-president of the Woman's Missionary Council and to the corresponding secretary of the Conference Society.

8. The corresponding secretary shall conduct the correspondence of the society and supply the auxiliaries with information and with literature if so ordered by the Conference. She shall promote Christian stewardship and shall use all possible means for the organization of adult, young people's, and children's auxiliaries in every charge of the Conference, and shall report each new organization to the secretary of the Home Base, to whom she shall also make quarterly reports of the work of the Conference by the 15th day of April, July, October and January. She shall make an annual report to the Conference Society and report the preceding session of the Woman's Missionary Council. She shall sign all orders on the treasury.

9. The recording secretary shall give notice of all meetings of the

Conference Society and of the executive committee and keep the minutes of the same on record.

10. The treasurer shall receive all funds of the society, keeping an account with each auxiliary and submitting the same annually to an auditor. She shall disburse the Conference expense funds on the written order of the president and the corresponding secretary. She shall make an annual report to the Conference Society and shall send itemized reports promptly on the 15th day of April, July, October, and January to the treasurer of the Woman's Missionary Council, therewith transmitting such funds as are collected for the general treasury. She shall also send an itemized statement to the Conference corresponding secretary and to the president.

11. The district secretaries shall organize adult, young people's, and children's auxiliaries and use every available means to promote the work of the Woman's Missionary Society in their districts. They shall present a report of their work at the District Conference and shall hold annual meetings in the district, and all-day meetings when ever practicable. They shall conduct the correspondence with auxiliaries and send a quarterly report to the Conference corresponding secretary and a copy of the same to the president of the Conference Society.

12. The superintendent of study and publicity shall promote mission study and Bible study and shall disseminate missionary information through the Church and secular press. She shall report quarterly to the educational secretary.

13. The superintendent of social service shall stimulate and direct the study and investigation of social questions and shall seek to bring about social reforms. She shall report quarterly to the Council superintendent of social service.

14. The superintendent of supplies shall superintend the sending of boxes and needed supplies to ministers of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, and to institutions in the home and foreign fields under the direction of the Council. She shall report quarterly to the Council superintendent of supplies.

15. Conference societies shall not project new work nor respond to special calls for aid unless authorized by the Woman's Missionary Council.

16. The membership funds of all auxiliary societies—adult, young people's, and children's—also funds contributed to make life members, honorary life members, and honorary life patrons, are a part of the general fund which cannot be diverted by the Conference.

17. A Conference expense fund shall be provided by Conference assessment, the basis to be determined by each Conference according to the requirements. In no case shall membership dues or pledge funds be used for Conference expenses.

18. The thank offering during the week of prayer shall be applied to some specific object, to be determined each year by the Woman's Missionary Council in annual session.

19. The Conference Society may make such by-laws as the work demands, provided they do not conflict with those made by the Council.

20. The last half hour of each forenoon during the annual session of the Conference shall be devoted to Bible study.

CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS FOR ADULT AUXILIARIES

CONSTITUTION.

Any number of women may form an Adult Society auxiliary to the Conference Woman's Missionary Society by adopting the following constitution and by-laws and electing the officers herein provided:

1. This society shall be called the Woman's Missionary Society of the ..... Church, auxiliary to ..... Conference Society of the Woman's Missionary Council of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South.

2. The object of this auxiliary shall be to hasten the coming of the kingdom of God throughout the world by enlisting the women, young people, and children in a study of the needs of the world and in active missionary service; by raising funds for the evangelization of mission fields at home and abroad, for the maintenance of the institutions under the care of the Woman's Missionary Council, and for the betterment of civic and social conditions.

3. Any one may become a member of this auxiliary by giving prayer and service and by paying twenty cents per month.

Each member shall be asked to make a voluntary offering for the maintenace and extension of the general work. Such funds shall constitute the pledge of the auxiliary. The dues, pledge, and any other undirected funds shall be prorated by the Council—40 per cent for the home and 60 per cent for the foreign work. Opportunities shall be given for offerings to be directed by individual donors for the support of special work. These special offerings by individuals shall not be prorated.

4. Any one may become a life member of the auxiliary by the payment of $25, an honorary life member by the payment of $100, and an honorary life patron by the payment of $300, provided the money be paid for that special purpose. It shall not be included in the pledge nor in any special assumed by individuals or that has been assigned to the auxiliary. Such membership should be considered as an honor, and should not release the holders from the obligations of active membership.

5. A name may be placed on the memorial roll by the gift of twenty-five dollars for this special purpose.

6. Every auxiliary member shall pay toward the relief and retirement fund and the Conference expense fund.

7. The auxiliary shall carry on local work, which shall consist of the care of the parsonage and the charity work of the church. This work may be done through a committee, the funds to be raised as the auxiliary directs.

8. The officers of the auxiliary shall be a president, two vice-presidents, a corresponding secretary, a recording secretary, a treasurer, an assistant treasurer, and superintendents of study and publicity, of social service, and of supplies. These officers shall constitute the executive committee of the auxiliary.

9. The auxiliary shall hold one or more meetings during the month for the transaction of business and for the study of the work. The first regular monthly meeting of the year shall be devoted to the consideration of plans and financial pledges for the new year and to

the installation of officers. At the last business meeting of the fiscal year the annual election of officers shall be held.

BY-LAWS.

1. The president shall preside at all meetings of the auxiliary and shall actively advance its interests. In her absence one of the vice-presidents shall assume her duties.

2. The first vice-president shall be responsible for the organization of the Young People's Auxiliary and shall develop and direct its work. She shall send reports when required by the first vice-president of the Conference.

The second vice-president shall develop and direct the work of the Children's Auxiliary. She shall send a quarterly report to the second vice-president of the Conference.

3. The corresponding secretary shall conduct the correspondence of the auxiliary and shall promote Christian stewardship. She shall send to the district secretary full reports by the first of January, April, July, and October. She shall also send to the district secretary and Conference corresponding secretary the names and addresses of all newly elected officers of the auxiliary. She shall send her books to the district meeting for examination

4. The recording secretary shall keep a record of the regular and called meetings and see that each meeting is properly announced.

5. The treasurer shall collect all moneys of the auxiliary, keep an account of the same, and make an itemized report monthly to the auxiliary. She shall remit to the Conference treasurer on the first of January, April, July and October, giving an itemized statement of the amount, a duplicate of the same to be furnished the auxiliary corresponding secretary. The books of the treasurer shall be audited annually.

6. The assistant treasurer shall have charge of local funds. She shall make a monthly report to the auxiliary, and she shall furnish the treasurer a quarterly statement to be included in her report. She shall pay out money from the local treasury only upon an order signed by both the president of the auxiliary and the chairman of the local committee.

The auxiliary as a society shall not assume obligation for the assistance or support of outside organizations, such as orphanages, hospitals, travelers' aids, Y. W. C. A., etc.

7. The superintendent of study and publicity shall be responsible for the organization of mission study and Bible study classes and prayer circles and for the dissemination of missionary information through the church and secular press. She shall report quarterly to the Conference superintendent of study and publicity.

8. The superintendent of social service shall stimulate and direct the study and investigation of social questions and shall seek to bring about social reforms. She shall report quarterly to the Conference superintendent of social service.

9. The superintendent of supplies shall superintend the sending of boxes and necessary supplies to ministers of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, and to institutions in the home and foreign fields under the direction of the Council. She shall report each box sent and its value to the Conference superintendent of supplies.

10. The vice presidents, secretary, treasurer, and superintendents shall make written reports at the regular meetings.

STANDING RULES.

We, the Committee on By-Laws and Standing Rules recommend:

1. That the Treasurers of each Auxiliary shall send all money

and reports to District Secretary of her district and the money and reports of Young People be sent to first Vice-President and money and reports of Junior division be sent to second vice-president the first day of the month of each quarter.

2. That for the purpose of securing accuracy, the executive committee of each auxiliary shall hold a meeting immediately before sending the quarterly reports.

3. That each District Secretary shall pledge an earnest effort to hold an annual meeting in her district at which time she shall urge the great importance of organizing new auxiliaries, doing all in her power to develop the district.

4. That the Conference officers and each auxiliary president make every effort to have the week of prayer observed.

CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS FOR YOUNG PEOPLE'S AUXILIARIES

CONSTITUTION.

1. This auxiliary shall be called the Young People's Society of .... Church, auxiliary to .... Conference Society of the Woman's Missionary Council, Methodist Episcopal Church, South.

2. The object of this auxiliary shall be to hasten the coming of the kingdom of God throughout the world by enlisting the young people in active missionary service, by raising funds for the evangelization of Mission fields at home and abroad, for the maintenance of the institutions under the care of the Woman's Missionary Council, and for the betterment of civic and social conditions.

3. Any one between the ages of fourteen and twenty-one may become a member of the auxiliary ~~by~~ giving regularly prayer, service and a stated offering monthly or quarterly. Each member shall be asked to make an offering for the maintenance or extension of such objects of work in the home and foreign fields as are assigned to the young people by the Council. Such funds shall constitute the pledge of the auxiliary.

Membership funds and pledges shall be prorated by the Council treasurer—40 per cent for the home and 60 per cent for the foreign work.

Each member shall be expected to contribute to the retirement and relief fund and to the Conference expense fund.

4. Any one may become a life member of the auxiliary by the payment of $15, provided the money be paid for that special purpose. It shall not be included in the pledge nor in any special assumed by individuals or that has been assigned to the auxiliary.

5. A name may be placed on the memorial fund by the gift of fifteen dollars for this specific purpose.

6. The officers of the auxiliary shall be a president, two vice-presidents, a corresponding secretary, a recording secretary, a treasurer, and the superintendents of study and publicity, of social service, and of supplies.

7. The auxiliary shall hold one or more meetings during the month

for the transaction of business and for the study of the work. At the last meeting of the fiscal year there shall be the annual election of officers. At the following meeting there shall be a full report of the year's work, installation of officers, and consideration of plans for work and financial pledges for the new year.

BY-LAWS.

1. The president shall preside at the meeting of the auxiliary and shall in every way advance its interests. In the absence of the president, one of the vice-presidents shall preside.

2. The first vice-president shall keep in touch with the first vice-president of the Conference and shall report to her quarterly the full scope of the work.

The second vice-president shall assist the second vice-president of the Adult Auxiliary in superintending the Children's Auxiliary.

3. The corresponding secretary shall conduct the correspondence of the auxiliary and shall promote Christian stewardship. She shall report the full scope of the work quarterly to the district secretary, to whom she shall send the names and addresses of the newly elected officers.

4. The recording secretary shall keep a record of the regular and called meetings and shall see that each meeting is properly announced.

5. The treasurer shall collect all funds of the auxiliary, keeping a ledger account of the same, and remit to the Conference treasurer on the first of January, April, July and October.

6. The superintendent of study and publicity shall be responsible for the organization of mission study and Bible study classes, for prayer circles, and for the dissemination of missionary information through the church and secular press. She shall have charge of subscriptions to the Missionary Voice and the Young Christian Worker. She shall report quarterly on the first day of January, April, July and October to the Conference superintendent of study and publicity.

7. The superintendent of social service shall have charge of social service studies issued by the Council. She shall co-operate wherever possible in the social service movements of her church and community. She shall report quarterly on the first day of January, April, July and October to the Conference superintendent of social service.

8. The superintendent of supplies shall superintend the packing and sending of boxes of supplies to institutions in the home and foreign fields under the direction of the Council. She shall report each box sent and its value to the Conference superintendent of supplies.

CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS FOR CHILDREN'S AUXILIARIES

CONSTITUTION.

1. This auxiliary shall be called the Children's Society of ..... Church, auxiliary to ..... Conference Society of the Woman's Missionary Council of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South.

2. The object of the auxiliary shall be to hasten the coming of the kingdom of God throughout the world by giving the children of the Church missionary education, training them for Christian service, and by cultivating in them habits of liberal and systematic giving and of daily Bible study and prayer.

3. The Children's Auxiliary shall consist of Baby and Junior Divisions, under the direction of the second vice-president of the Woman's Missionary Auxiliary, whose work shall be correlated with that of the Conference second vice-president. All membership, mite box, and other undirected funds shall be sent through the Conference treasurer, to be prorated by the Council on the basis of 40 per cent. to home and 60 per cent to foreign work.

BABY DIVISION.

1. Any child six years of age or under may become a member of the Baby Division upon the payment of an enrollment fee of 25 cents. Each member of the Baby Division shall be given a certificate of membership and shall be furnished with a mite box for voluntary offerings. The mite boxes shall be opened and their contents sent quarterly by the treasurer of the Junior Division to the Conference treasurer. Where there is no Junior Division through which to report, the second vice-president of the Adult Auxiliary shall send the money of the Baby Division to the Conference treasurer.

2. Any one may become a life member of the Baby Division of the Children's Auxiliary by the payment of $5, provided the money be paid for that specific purpose. It shall not be included in the pledge nor in any special assumed by individuals or that has been assigned to the Baby Division of the Children's Auxiliary.

3. Names of children may be placed on the Memorial Roll by the gift of $10.

4. Special meetings for the members of the Baby Division shall be arranged by the second vice-president of the Adult Auxiliary, at which time inspirational programs shall be presented.

5. Members of the Baby Division, at the age of six years, shall be promoted to the Junior Division and shall be given certificates of promotion.

6. The second vice-president of the Adult Auxiliary shall have charge of the Baby Division.

JUNIOR DIVISION.

1. Any child between the ages of six and fourteen may become a member of the Junior Division of the Children's Auxiliary by giving regularly prayer, service, and a stated monthly offering to missions. Each member of the Junior Division shall be furnished with a mite box for voluntary offerings. Mite boxes shall be opened quarterly, and the contents, with all other offerings, shall be sent to the Conference treasurer.

2. Any one may become a life member of the Junior Division of

the Children's Auxiliary by the payment of $10, provided the money be paid for that special purpose. It shall not be included in the pledge nor in any special assumed by individuals or that has been assigned to the Junior Division of the Children's Auxliary.

3. Names of children may be placed on the Memorial Roll by the gift of $10.

4. The officers of the Junior Division shall be a president, two vice-presidents, a corresponding secretary, a recording secretary, a treasurer, and superintendents of study and publicity and of social service. These officers, with the second vice-president of the Adult Auxiliary, shall hold a meeting of the committee of the Children's Auxiliary.

5. The Junior Division shall meet at least twice a month to transact necessary business and to follow the lines of study arranged by the Woman's Missionary Council, for which programs shall be furnished. At the close of each quarter the second vice-president of the Adult Auxiliary shall hold a meeting of the executive committee of the Junior Division to see that the work of the quarter is correctly and promptly reported to the proper officers. At the last meeting of the fiscal year there shall be the election of officers. The first regular monthly meeting of the year shall be devoted to making plans and financial pledges for the new year's work.

BY-LAWS.

1. The president shall preside at the meeting of the auxiliary and in every way advance its interests. In the absence of the president, one of the vice-presidents shall preside.

2. The first vice-president shall assist in the work of the Baby Division. The second vice-president shall be agent for the Young Christian Worker.

3. The corresponding secretary shall conduct the correspondence of the auxiliary and promote Christian stewardship and shall report quarterly to the district secretary. The corresponding secretary shall send the names and addresses of all newly elected officers to the district secretary.

4. The recording secretary shall keep a record of the regular and called meetings of the auxiliary and shall see that each meeting is properly announced.

5. The treasurer shall collect all funds of the auxiliary, keeping a ledger account of the same, and shall remit to the Conference treasurer quarterly. The treasurer's books shall be audited annually.

6. The superintendent of study and publicity shall assist in organizing and developing mission study and Bible study classes and shall send items of missionary news to the Young Christian Worker and local papers.

7. The superintendent of social service shall assist in directing the children in carrying out such lines of social service study and activity as are sent out by the Council.

Mrs. R. H. D. Wilson,
New Bern, N. C.

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ANNUAL SESSIONS OF WOMAN'S FOREIGN MISSIONARY SOCIETY OF THE N. C. CONFERENCE.

Date.	Place.
1879	Wilson, N. C.
1880	Winston, N. C.
1881	Durham, N. C.
1882	Raleigh, N. C.
1883	Durham, N. C.
1884	Wilmington, N. C.
1885	Raleigh, N. C.
1886	Goldsboro, N. C.
1887	Greensboro, N. C.
1888	New Bern, N. C.
1889	Charlotte, N. C.
1890	Henderson, N. C.
1891	Durham, N. C.
1892	Goldsboro, N. C.
1893	New Bern, N. C.
1894	Raleigh, N. C.
1895	Fayetteville, N. C.
1896	Kinston, N. C.
1897	Littleton, N. C.
1898	Durham, N. C.
1899	New Bern, N. C.
1900	Wilmington, N. C.
1901	Wilson, N. C.
1902	Raleigh, N. C.
1903	Rockingham, N. C.
1904	Elizabeth City, N. C.
1905	Louisburg, N. C.
1906	Warrenton, N. C.
1907	Greenville, N. C.
1908	Goldsboro, N. C.
1909	Laurinburg, N. C.
1910	Roxboro, N. C.
1911	New Bern, N. C.
1912	Littleton, N. C.

ANNUAL SESSIONS OF WOMAN'S HOME MISSIONARY SOCIETY OF THE N. C. CONFERENCE.

Date.	Place.
1902	Weldon, N. C.
1903	Raleigh, N. C.
1904	Selma, N. C.
1905	Wilmington, N. C.
1906	Fremont, N. C.
1907	Smithfield, N. C.
1908	Durham, N. C.
1909	Louisburg, N. C.
1910	Elizabeth City, N. C.
1911	Raleigh, N. C.
1912	Weldon, N. C.

ANNUAL SESSIONS OF WOMAN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY OF NORTH CAROLINA CONFERENCE.

Date.	Place.
1913	Wilson, N. C.
1914	Durham, N. C.
1915	Rocky Mount, N. C.
1916	Kinston, N. C.
1917	Wilmington, N. C.

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{ Foreign MISS MABEL HEAD.
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Supt. of Literature—Mrs. E. L. Hart.....Wilmington.
Editor of Woman's Page—Mrs. V. Royster.....Raleigh.

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New Bern District—Mrs. Fred R. Mintz.....Mount Olive.
Raleigh District—Miss Vara Herring.....Raleigh.
Rockingham District—Mrs. J. Allen Powers.....Hamlet.
Warrenton District—Miss Amma Graham.....Warrenton.
Washington District—Mrs. Wiley Brown.....Greenville.
Wilmington District—Mrs. J. C. Whedbee.....Burgaw.

OFFICIAL MINUTES

OF THE

WOMAN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY

OF THE

North Carolina Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South.

WEDNESDAY—MORNING SESSION.

The Woman's Missionary Society of the North Carolina Conference, convened in its fifth annual session in Grace Church, Wilmington, Wednesday morning, January 24th, 1917, at ten o'clock, Mrs. R. B. John, President, presiding.

The sacrament of the Lord's Supper was administered by Rev. M. T. Plyler of Grace Church, assisted by Rev. J. H. McCracken of Fifth Avenue Church.

Conference hymn No. 414 was sung. The delegates were seated according to their respective districts. The roll was called and the following officers and delegates were present:

President—Mrs. R. B. John.
1st Vice-President—Mrs. J. M. Rhodes.
2nd Vice-President—Mrs. N. H. D. Wilson.
Superintendent of Social Service—Mrs. A. S. Barnes.
Superintendent of Mission Study and Publicity—Mrs. H. J. Boney.
Superintendent of Literature—Mrs. E. L. Hart.
Recording Secretary—Miss May Edla Smith.
Treasurer—Mrs. N. E. Edgerton.
Editor of *Advocate* Page—Mrs. E. C. Duncan.

VISITORS.

Miss Bessie Combs, Sungkiang, China.
Mrs. B. W. Lipscomb, Nashville, Tenn.
Miss Ida Hankins, Carolina Institute, Seoul, Korea.
Miss Roberta Ellison, Deaconess, Hillsboro, N. C.
Miss Mary Pescud, Raleigh, N. C.
Miss Elizabeth Lamb, Fayetteville, N. C.

DELEGATES.

DURHAM DISTRICT—Mrs. W. W. Peele, Secretary.
Mrs. Walter Patten, Chapel Hill.
Mrs. Marvin Stacy, Chapel Hill.
Mrs. T. H. Street, Roxboro.
Mrs. R. A. Knight, Trinity, Durham.
Mrs. E. L. Smith, Trinity, Young Women.
Mrs. R. J. Aiken, Memorial, Durham.
Miss Mary Martin, Memorial, Young People.
Miss Janie Johnston, Yanceyville.
Mrs. T. P. Womack, Prospect.

ELIZABETH CITY DISTRICT—Mrs. J. N. Winslow, Secretary.
Mrs. J. E. Hunter, Hertford.
Mrs. George Hawkins, Hertford.
Mrs. E. L. Reed, Hertford.
Mrs. Rosser Brinn, Minnie Wilson Auxiliary, Hertford.
Mrs. S. P. Gurley, First Church, Elizabeth City.
Miss Lucie Williams, Gatesville.
Mrs. Willie Kittrell, Parker's.
Miss Ruth Edwards, Sunbury.
Mrs. B. H. Creef, Manteo.
Mrs. S. L. Dosher, Manteo.
Mrs. Mattie Midgett, Wanchese.
Mrs. Holland Pugh, Wanchese.
Mrs. Pearl Sykes, Wanchese.
Mrs. Clyde Smith, Pantego.
Mrs. E. S. Creedle, Pantego.

FAYETTEVILLE DISTRICT—Miss Vara Herring, Secretary.
Mrs. J. R. Butler, Dunn.
Miss Florence Cooper, Dunn.
Mrs. Edwin Smith, Dunn.
Miss Marjorie Godwin, Dunn.
Mrs. Estelle Moore, Dunn.
Mrs. Gus Womble, Sanford.
Miss Hattie Ross, Sanford.
Mrs. A. L. Thompson, Fayetteville.
Mrs. Emma Hunter, Fayetteville.
Mrs. F. B. Souders, Fayetteville.
Miss Lyda Lamb, Fayetteville.
Miss Harriet Lamb, Fayetteville.
Miss Elsie Upton, Fayetteville.
Mrs. L. M. White, Roseboro.

New Bern District—Mrs. H. J. Faison, Secretary.
Mrs. S. H. Scott, New Bern.
Mrs. J. T. Hollister, New Bern.
Mrs. Clyde Eby, New Bern.
Miss Vivetta Crabtree, Bright Jewels, New Bern.
Miss Nora Johnston, Goldsboro.
Miss Carrie Bizzell, Goldsboro.
Miss Louisa Slocumb, Goldsboro.
Miss Iola Patrick, Goldsboro.
Miss Mary Spence, Goldsboro.
Miss Helen Canfield, Morehead City.
Mrs. M. C. Dixon, Morehead City.
Mrs. M. W. Willis, Morehead City.
Miss Alice Edwards, Morehead City.
Mrs. Virginia Johnson, Trenton.
Mrs. Deems Clifton, Faison.
Mrs. W. F. Martin, Mount Olive.
Mrs. E. N. Ricks, Mount Olive.
Mrs. E. V. Webb, Kinston.
Mrs. Bettie Lee, Kinston.
Mrs. F. C. Hooker, Kinston.

Raleigh District—Miss Nettie Allen, Secretary.
Mrs. J. E. Stevick, Central, Raleigh.
Miss Ella Harris, Central, Raleigh.
Miss Katharine Cox, Central, Raleigh.
Miss Sallie Reese, Mary Pescud, Raleigh.
Mrs. A. B. Hollowell, Clayton.
Miss Mabel Tomlinson, Elizabeth.
Mrs. L. S. Etheridge, Franklinton.
Mrs. C. P. Jerome, Kenly.
Mrs. H. F. Edgerton, Kenly.
Mrs. D. F. McKinnie, Louisburg.
Mrs. D. T. Smithwick, Louisburg.
Miss Sallie Taylor, Young People, Louisburg.
Miss Floy Leech, Cary.
Mrs. E. T. White, Oxford.
Mrs. J. P. Floyd, Oxford.
Mrs. C. V. Johnson, Smithfield.
Miss Georgie Barnes, Methodist Orphanage.

Rockingham District—
Mrs. W. E. Wright, Maxton.
Miss Edith Ormond, Maxton.

Miss Byrtie Goodwin, Aberdeen.
Miss Carrie Hurley, Aberdeen.
Mrs. Allen G. Powers, Hamlet.
Miss Mary Stanfield, Fairmont.
Miss Bonnie Grantham, Fairmont.
Mrs. Nellie Terry, Rockingham.
Mrs. C. A. Chubb, Laurinburg.
Mrs. J. R. Murphy, Laurinburg.
Mrs. R. E. Lewis, Lumberton.
Miss Annie Neal Fuller, Lumberton.
Mrs. F. C. Weatherly, St. Pauls.
Miss Angie Burns, Starr.
Miss Dora Thompson, McDonald.
Mrs. J. T. Adams, Gibson.
Miss Beuna Hurley, Wadesville.

WASHINGTON DISTRICT—Mrs. Wiley Brown, Secretary.
Mrs. T. A. Person, Greenville.
Miss Callie Quarles, Wilson.
Mrs. I. T. Smith, Rocky Mount.
Mrs. S. W. Staley, Rocky Mount.
Mrs. E. R. Hines, Rocky Mount.
Mrs. J. N. Lovelace, Farmville.
Mrs. E. M. Snipes, Washington.
Mrs. R. E. Barnes, Eureka.
Mrs. N. B. Finch, Spring Hope.
Mrs. S. M. Wood, Spring Hope.
Mrs. P. M. Best, Fremont.
Mrs. John B. Exum, Fremont.
Mrs. John L. Hare, Fremont.

WARRENTON DISTRICT—Miss Amma Graham, Secretary.
Mrs. W. L. Knight, Weldon.
Miss Mabel Bolton, Littleton College.

WILMINGTON DISTRICT—Mrs. W. F. Murphy, Secretary.
Miss Lizzie Jerome, Rose Hill.
Miss Grace Fussell, Rose Hill.
Mrs. J. H. Bussell, Southport.
Mrs. D. O. Daniel, Southport.
Miss Carrie Dosher, Southport.
Mrs. J. W. Boney, Wallace.
Mrs. George Collins, Burgaw.
Mrs. Nettie DeFord, Richlands.

Mrs. J. W. Hall, Richlands.
Mrs. M. H. Shepherd, Grace, Wilmington.
Mrs. J. B. Rice, Grace, Wilmington.
Miss Fannie Craig, Grace, Wilmington.
Mrs. H. W. Keen, 5th Avenue, Wilmington.
Mrs. R. A. Montgomery, 5th Avenue, Wilmington.
Miss Lucile Shore, 5th Avenue, Golden Links.
Mrs. W. P. McGloughon, Trinity, Wilmington.
Mrs. Robert Ruark, Trinity, Wilmington.
Mrs. H. L. Lyon, Whiteville.
Mrs. J. F. Berkley, Whiteville.
Mrs. J. B. Schulken, Whiteville.
Mrs. L. V. Grady, Whiteville.
Mrs. L. S. Ward, Jacksonville.
Mrs. J. W. Burton, Jacksonville.

The following telegram was read to the Conference:

Kansas City, Mo., January 23, 1917.
Women's Missionary Conference,
Grace Methodist Episcopal Church,
Wilmington, N. C.

Am thinking of you, loving you, praying for you. The Scarritt family has united in praying for this meeting. May it be the best our Conference has ever had. May the Holy Spirit be the guide in everything. Pray definitely for volunteers. Phillippians 4:19.

SALLIE LOU McKINNON.

Mrs. N. H. D. Wilson and Mrs. S. H. Scott were named a committee to send the loving greetings of the Conference, to Miss McKinnon.

Rules of order were read.

The President, Mrs. R. B. John, read her annual message to the Conference. This report was unanimously adopted. [Officers report No. 1.]

The following Committees were appointed:

Extension of Work—Mrs. W. F. Murphy, Chairman; Miss Vara Herring, Miss Nettie Allen, Mrs. J. N. Winslow, Mrs. Wiley Brown, Mrs. H. J. Faison, Miss Amma Graham, Mrs. W. W. Peele, Mrs. J. W. Lovelace, Mrs. Allen Powers, Mrs. E. M. Snipes, Miss Sallie Reese, Mrs. J. P. Floyd, Mrs. E. L. Smith, Mrs. D. O. Daniel, Mrs. Walter Patten, Mrs. Clyde Eby, Mrs. F. C. Weatherly, Mrs. W. E. Reed, Miss Iola Patrick.

Young People's Work.—Mrs. J. M. Rhodes, Chairman;

Miss Annie Fussell, Miss Lizzie Jerome, Miss Florence Cooper, Miss Elsie Upton, Miss Annie Neal Fuller, Miss Marjorie Godwin, Miss Pearle Sykes, Mrs. A. L. Thompson, Mrs. Marvin Stacy, Mrs. Rosser Brinn, Miss Sallie Taylor, Miss Angie Burns, Miss Margaret Martin, Miss Byrtie Goodwin, Miss Bonnie Grantham, Miss Louisa Slocumb, Miss Mary Spence, Miss Helen Canfield, Miss Alice Edwards, Miss Janie Johnson, Mrs. Gus Womble, Miss Mabel Tomlinson, Miss Georgie Barnes.

Children's Work—Mrs. N. H. D. Wilson, Chairman; Mrs. E. V. Webb, Mrs. S. H. Scott, Mrs. John Hare, Mrs. Homer Lyon, Mrs. Estelle Moore, Mrs. W. L. Knight, Mrs. W. H. Shaw, Mrs. C. A. Chubb, Miss Ruth Edwards, Miss Vivetta Crabtree.

Mission Study and Publicity—Mrs. H. J. Boney, Chairman; Miss Ella Harris, Mrs. D. T. Smithwick, Mrs. Willie Kittrell, Miss Callie Quarles, Mrs. Bettie Lee, Mrs. W. F. Martin, Mrs. J. B. Hollister, Miss Nora Johnston, Mrs. J. W. Boney, Mrs. M. C. Dixon, Mrs. Deems Clifton, Mrs. Nettie DeFord, Mrs. S. P. Gurley, Mrs. B. H. Creef, Mrs. S. L. Dosher, Mrs. Holland Pugh, Mrs. Clyde Smith, Mrs. E. S. Creedle, Mrs. I. T. Smith.

Social Service—Mrs. A. S. Barnes, Chairman; Mrs. J. E. Stevick, Miss Roberta Ellison, Mrs. C. P. Jerome, Mrs. D. F. McKinnie.

Finance—Mrs. N. E. Edgerton, Chairman; Mrs. Emma Hunter, Mrs. C. V. Johnson, Miss Lucie Williams, Mrs. F. C. Hooker, Mrs. L. M. White.

By-Laws and Standing Rules—Mrs. E. C. Duncan, Chairman; Miss Carrie Dosher, Mrs. T. H. Street.

Courtesies—Mrs. M. H. Shepherd, Mrs. J. B. Rice, Miss Lottie Smith.

Memoirs—Mrs. Robert Ruark, Chairman; Mrs. E. L. Hart, Mrs. W. H. Staley.

Nominations—Mrs. S. H. Scott, Chairman; Miss Sallie Reese, Mrs. D. O. Daniel, Mrs. Walter Patten, Mrs. S. M. Wood, Mrs. J. M. Rhodes, Mrs. C. W. Smith, Mrs. W. E. Wright, Mrs. Emma Hunter.

Resolutions—Mrs. E. T. White, Mrs. T. A. Person, Miss Annie Neal Fuller.

The Minutes of the *ad-interim* Executive meetings were read.

On motion of Miss Nettie Allen, the District Secretaries were given a conference with their respective districts.

The Conference adjourned for thirty-five minutes for the District meetings.

Mrs. T. A. Person read the report of the Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. F. B. McKinnie. Report adopted. [Officers report No. 7.]

This report showed that the Pledge for the year fell short $1200.00.

Mrs. J. M. Rhodes, 1st Vice-President, read the report of the Young People's Work. Report adopted. [Officers report No. 2.]

The Noon Quiet Hour was conducted by Miss Bessie Combs of Sunkiang, China. "What Seek Ye"? was the subject of her most inspirational message, which the Conference so greatly enjoyed.

WEDNESDAY—AFTERNOON SESSION.

Devotional service conducted by Mrs. C. W. Smith. Hymn No. 458 was sung. Part of 8th chapter of St. Mark was the scripture lesson read. Miss Elizabeth Lamb led the Conference in prayer.

The Conference called to order by the President.

Minutes of the morning session read and approved.

Mrs. N. H. D. Wilson, 2nd Vice-President, read the report of the Children's Work. Report adopted. [Officers report No. 3.]

Miss Vivetta Crabtree, President of the Bright Jewels of Centenary, New Bern, gave an interesting report of their work.

Mrs. B. W. Lipscomb, Home Base Secretary, of The Woman's Missionary Council, was introduced to the Conference. She referred to the splendid work, which Mrs. N. H. D. Wilson had done for the Children of the N. C. Conference and interested the Conference in the value of "The Young Christian Worker."

Mrs. John and Mrs. Lipscomb spoke of the fine work which Mrs. J. M. Rhodes had done with the Young People during the past year.

Mrs. H. J. Faison interested the Conference, when she re-

ported the work of the New Bern District. Report adopted. [District Secretaries report No. 4.]

Miss Nettie Allen gave the report of the Raleigh District. Report adopted. [District Secretaries report No. 5.]

The attractive chart used by the District Secretaries in giving their reports, made the usually dull statistics very interesting. The auxiliaries of the Raleigh District made clear their work for the year by original and artistic charts.

Mrs. Lipscomb gave the origin and purposes of "Harvest Day."

Miss Vara Herring gave the report of the Fayetteville District. Report adopted. [District Secretaries report No. 3.]

At four o'clock the Conference adjourned to attend a really model Children's Missionary Meeting. This was the regular January Meeting of the "Bright Jewels" of Grace Church, under the efficient management of Mrs. W. H. Shaw.

THURSDAY—MORNING SESSION.

Devotional service conducted by Mrs. T. A. Person. Hymn No. 42 was sung. The theme of Mrs. Person's helpful talk was "Offerings."

The President called the Conference to order. Minutes of the preceding session were read and approved. The roll was called.

Mrs. N. E. Edgerton read the Treasurer's report. Report adopted. [Officers report No. 8.] The grand total for the year being $38,932.75, an increase of $256.75 over last year.

The following subscriptions were given on the remaining $450 to be raised for the Blanche Fentress School in China:

Trinity Auxiliary, Wilmington	$10.00
Mrs. T. H. Street	5.00
Golden Links, Fifth Avenue	3.00
Wallace Auxiliary	5.00
Hertford Adult Auxiliary	5.00
Fifth Avenue Adult Auxiliary	5.00
General collection	9.51

Mrs. W. E. Wright, President of the Maxton Auxiliary, touched a sympathetic chord of the Conference when she pre-

sented something of the work among her own Hebrew people.

Miss Roberta Ellison, Deaconness of Hillsboro, very much interested the Conference, when she told of her work in a cotton mill community.

Mrs. W. W. Peele gave an excellent report of the Durham District. Report adopted. [District Secretaries report No. 1.]

Miss Elizabeth Lamb, in her impressive manner, spoke for five minutes on the needs of Brazil.

Another valuable five minutes to the Conference were those Miss Mary Pescud used, in telling of the opportunities of Brazil.

Mrs. W. F. Murphy gave an encouraging report of the Wilmington District. Report adopted. [District Secretaries report No. 9.]

Mrs. A. S. Barnes gave the report of the Social Service Department. Report adopted. [Officers report No. 4.]

Mrs. J. E. Stevick made the motion that the N. C. Woman's Missionary Conference Memorialize the State Legislature, to support "The Woman's Bill" now pending,—which provides for the establishment of a Home for the delinquent girls of North Carolina. The motion was carried unanimously.

Mrs. A. S. Barnes and Mrs. J. E. Stevick were named a committee to frame this memorial.

Rev. T. C. Vickers, of Southport, was introduced to the Conference.

The following telegram was read:

Weldon, N. C., 10:25 A. M., Jan. 25, 1917.
Woman's Missionary Society Grace Church,
Wilmington, N. C.
Love and greetings to you all. Philippians 1:2-6.
MRS. IDA WILKINS,
MRS. H. C. SPIERS.

On motion of Mrs. H. J. Faison, telegrams expressing the love of the Conference, were sent to Mrs. R. A. Willis, President Emerita of the Conference, to Mrs. L. M. Hendren (Aunt Lizzie), to Mrs. F. B. McKinnie, to Mrs. Ida Wilkins and Mrs. H. C. Spiers.

The Recording Secretary read the report of Mrs. Ida Wilkins, Superintendent of Supplies. Report adopted. [Officers report No. 6.]

Mrs. H. J. Boney, Superintendent of Mission Study and Publicity, read her report. Report adopted. [Officers report No. 5.]

Mrs. E. L. Hart, Superintendent of Literature, read her report. Report adopted. [Officers report No. 9.]

Mrs. B. W. Lipscomb made an explanation of the supplies furnished by the Home Base Department.

Mrs. E. C. Duncan, Editor of the *Advocate* Page, made her report. Report adopted. [Officers report No. 10.]

Rev. M. V. McRae, of Trinity Church, Wilmington, and Mr. Johnson, of the Wilmington, Y. M. C. A., were introduced to the Conference.

The invitation from Mr. W. B. Cooper for a trip to Wrightsville Beach on Friday afternoon was heartily appreciated by the Conference.

Following the announcement the Conference adjourned for the "Noon Quiet Hour" which was conducted by Mrs. B. W. Lipscomb. Hymn No. 415 was sung.

Purity of Heart, Love, Faith, Steadfastness, were the essentials, Mrs. Lipscomb, so beautifully stressed as being so necessary to real service.

THURSDAY—AFTERNOON SESSION.

Devotional service conducted by Mrs. W. W. Peele. "Sweet Hour of Prayer" was sung. 35th chapter of Exodus was the Scripture Lesson read. "A Willing Service" was the subject of Mrs. Peele's message.

Conference called to order by the President.

The Minutes of the Morning Session were read and approved.

The following telegram was read:

Rockingham, N. C., 2:45 P. M., January 25, 1917.
Woman's Missionary Conference, Grace Church,
Wilmington, N. C.
My heart is with you. See Ephesians 2:10.
GEORGIA BIGGS.

Miss Ida Hankins in a twenty minutes address gave an interesting and clear view of life in Korea.

Rev. J. H. Miller, of Winter Park Methodist Church, was introduced to the Conference.

The Nominating Committee made the following report:

President—Miss Nettie Allen.
1st Vice-President—Miss Elizabeth Lamb.
2nd Vice-President—Mrs. N. H. D. Wilson.
Corresponding Secretary—Mrs. H. J. Boney.
Recording Secretary—Miss May Edla Smith.
Treasurer—Mrs. N. E. Edgerton.
Supt. of Mission Study and Publicity—Mrs. T. A. Person.
Supt. of Social Service—Mrs. Walter Patten.
Supt. of Supplies—Mrs. Ida T. Wilkins.
Supt. of Literature—Mrs. E. L. Hart.
Editor of Advocate Page—Mrs. E. C. Duncan.

In accepting the report of the Nominating Committee, Mrs. R. B. John led the Conference in prayer.

There being no nominations from the floor, the Secretary was instructed to cast the ballots for the nominees and they were elected. On the resignation of Mrs. E. C. Duncan, as Editor of the *Advocate* Page, the name of Mrs. V. Royster was presented to the Conference. Mrs. Royster was unanimously elected Editor of the *Advocate* Page.

The newly elected officers were presented to the Conference by Mrs. John in a most gracious manner.

Each one of the officers gave a word of greeting to the Conference.

A rising vote of thanks was given to Mrs. John, the beloved retiring President.

The following telegram was read:

New Bern, N. C., 3:45 P. M., January 25, 1917.
Woman's Missionary Society,
Care Methodist Church,
Wilmington, N. C.
Instant in prayer for you. Phillipians 1:8, 9, 10.
L. M. HENDREN.

Miss Anna Graham, Secretary of the Warrenton District, gave her report. Report adopted. [District Secretaries report No. 8.]

Mrs. J. N. Winslow, Secretary, gave the report of the Elizabeth City District. Report adopted. [District Secretaries report No. 2.]

Mrs. Wiley Brown gave the report of the Washington District. Report adopted. [District Secretaries report No. 7.]

A vote of thanks was given Mrs. J. M. Rhodes for the work she had done with the Young People.

An expression of appreciation was given to Mrs. E. C. Duncan for her work on the *Advocate* Page.

Following the announcements the Conference adjourned.

FRIDAY—MORNING SESSION.

Memorial Service conducted by Mrs. Robert Ruark. Mrs. H. J. Faison led in prayer. Mrs. M. H. Shepherd read the 91st Psalm. Prayer was led by Mrs. W. F. Murphy. As the names of those, who, during the year, had passed into the Life Triumphant, were called many members of the Conference, expressed deep appreciation, of our departed members.

Miss Julia Post impressively sang the beautiful "Abide With Me."

Conference called to order by the President. The Minutes of last session were read and approved.

Mrs. J. M. Rhodes made plain, by the use of an attractive N. C. map, the scope of the Young Peoples work of the Conference. All of the delegates from the Young Peoples Auxiliaries made interesting reports.

"Loyalty," the Young Peoples song was sung by the Conference.

The Conference was led in fervent prayer by Mrs. Rhodes.

Rev. M. T. Plyler, of Grace Church, made a plea for a circulation of the *Missionary Voice* and other Missionary Literature throughout the entire Church.

Mrs. M. C. Dixon read the report of the committee on Mission Study and Publicity. Report adopted. [Committee report No. 5.]

Mrs. B. W. Lipscomb gave helpful suggestions for Mission Study classes and named some of the most valuable of the Mission Study books.

Mrs. D. O. Daniel read the report of the Committee on Extension of Work. [Committee report No. 4.] There was a lengthy discussion which followed the recommendation for a Field Secretary. By vote this item was rejected, and the report adopted.

Little Miss Katharine Murphy, daughter of Mrs. W. F. Murphy, was presented to the Conference. By a unanimous vote, the Conference made her a Life Member of the Baby Division.

Mrs. E. V. Webb read the report of the Committee on Children's Work. Report adopted. [Committee reports No. 3.]

Mrs. J. E. Stevick read the report of the Committee on Social Service. Report adopted. [Committee report No. 6.]

By a unanimous vote, the Conference decided to endorse the Temperance Bill now pending in our State Legislature.

Committee on By-Laws and Standing Rules made no report.

Mrs. C. V. Johnson read the report of the Finance Committee. Report adopted. [Committee report No. 1.]

Mrs. N. H. D. Wilson made the following announcements:

The Chinese Banner was given to the "Bright Jewels" of Memorial Church, Durham, for having raised again the largest amount of money during the year.

The Korean Banner was won again by the "Bright Jewels" of Hay Street, Fayetteville, for having given the most money per capita.

The Cuban Banner, for having had the greatest increase in membership was given to the Bright Jewels of Kenly.

The Executive Committee made the following report nominating the District Secretaries:

Durham District—Mrs. W. W. Peele.
Elizabeth City District—Miss Adelaide White.
Fayetteville District—Mrs. J. R. Butler.
New Bern District—Mrs. Fred Mintz.
Raleigh District—Miss Vara Herring.
Rockingham District—Mrs. Allen Powers.
Wilmington District—Mrs. D. O. Daniel.
Washington District—Mrs. Wiley Brown.
Warrenton District—Miss Amma Graham.

The report was accepted by acclamation.

The Noon Quiet Hour was conducted by Mrs. B. W. Lipscomb. "Faith of Our Fathers" was sung. Mrs. Lipscomb told of what it means to stand for the Lord Jesus Christ in this world and in Eternity, as she traced something of the development of the gospel as rendered through the service of Christ and his followers, and their reward in eternity.

The Conference united in intercessory prayer led by Mrs. Lipscomb.

FRIDAY—AFTERNOON SESSION.

Devotional Service conducted by Miss Bessie Combs. Her last inspiring message to the Conference was from the verse, "If I be lifted up, I will draw all men unto Me."

Conference called to order by the President.

Minutes of the Morning Session were read and approved.

Edenton Street Church, Raleigh, and St. Paul's Church, Goldsboro, invited the Conference to meet in their Churches for the Sixth Annual Session. By a standing vote, the Conference expressed the desire to go to Raleigh.

At three o'clock the Conference adjourned, to enjoy the trip to Wrightsville Beach, so generously arranged by Mr. W. B. Cooper.

FRIDAY—EVENING SESSION.

At ten o'clock Friday evening, the President called the Conference to order.

Minutes of the afternoon session were read and approved.

Report of the Committee on Young People's Work was read by Mrs. C. H. Fore. Report adopted. [Committees report No. 2.]

The report of the Committee on Resolutions was read by Mrs. E. T. White. This report was accepted by a rising vote.

Nine pennants for the Districts of the Conference were presented by Mrs. N. E. Edgerton, in behalf of the Selma Auxiliary. The Conference expressed its appreciation by a rising vote of thanks.

Mrs. T. A. Person was elected, Miss Nettie Allen alternate and Miss May Edla Smith was elected, Mrs. H. J. Boney alternate for the next meeting of the Woman's Missionary Council.

The District Secretaries made the following pledges for the year:

Durham District	$ 1,000.00
Elizabeth City District	1,200.00
Fayetteville District	600.00
New Bern District	1,500.00
Raleigh District	1,700.00
Rockingham District	2,500.00
Warrenton District	800.00
Washington District	700.00
Wilmington District	1,250.00

Mrs. John's Farewell Words to the Conference were of deep appreciation. Miss Mary Pescud, so much beloved, dismissed the Conference with prayer.

EVENING SERVICES.

TUESDAY EVENING.

The devotional service was conducted by Rev. J. H. Shore, Presiding Elder of the Wilmington District.

Mrs. M. T. Plyler, President of the Woman's Missionary Society of Grace Church, extended to the one hundred and sixty delegates a most cordial welcome, to Grace Church and to Wilmington.

Mrs. R. B. John gave a sincere expression of appreciation, to the welcome Wilmington had given the Conference.

Miss Bessie Combs delighted the Conference by telling a charming story of Chinese life. This story was given as one of the reasons why she is going back to China.

A vocal solo by Miss Anderson, Secretary of the Wilmington Y. M. C. A., was much appreciated.

WEDNESDAY EVENING.

The devotional service was conducted by Miss Elizabeth Lamb.

The address of the evening was given by Mrs. B. W. Lipscomb, Home Base Secretary of the Woman's Missionary Council. Mrs. Lipscomb reminded the very large congregation that the Women of Southern Methodism had raised a half million dollars last year for Missions. A sum equal to that raised by the entire Church twenty years ago.

Earnestly she spoke of the great opportunities for our young men and women, in the lands, who know not the Christ. And with joy she referred to her own daughter who last year had gone to work for China. Enthusiastically she added, "It is our highest duty as Christian men and Women to instill in the minds of the young boys and girls of today the great possibilities and opportunities, to be of service, to their God in spreading the gospel, to the Nations of the Earth."

This was Mrs. Lipscomb's first visit to the N. C. Conference, but, she came as one whom the entire Conference knew and honored. Her sweet, attractive manner, her earnestness, her willingness to serve the Conference won all hearts. Mrs. Lipscomb's presence among us will never be forgotten.

THURSDAY EVENING.

The devotional service was conducted by Miss Ida Hankins. Mrs. R. B. John introduced Miss Bessie Bell Combs—"Whose home in this Country is St. Joseph, Mo., but whose home in China is Sungkiang,"—as the speaker of the evening.

Before the address of Thursday evening, Miss Combs had very much endeared herself to the Conference. Her strong personality and graciousness brought China to the heart of the Conference, in a very forcible way. That Miss Combs loves China with the zeal of her consecrated earnestness means a power for good to China.

The subject of her address was "What the Gospel of Jesus Christ means to the Chinese People." This thought was illustrated by the recital of many of her experiences in Evangelistic work among the Chinese. So earnestly and charmingly did Miss Combs present the work of China, that the hundreds who heard her were aroused to a keener appreciation of China and its needs than ever before.

The North Carolina Conference feels that it can never thank Miss Combs for the great inspiration she has given.

FRIDAY EVENING.

Mrs. J. M. Rhodes and her Young People took entire charge of Grace Church on Friday evening, much to the delight of the hundreds who went to do them honor.

As the large number of girls, dressed in white, sang: "We'll soon possess the land, Thro' loyalty, loyalty, Yes, loyalty to Christ" there went through the congregation a thrill of enthusiasm for the Young People's Work.

The Pageant—A Missionary Moving Picture, was the interesting program given.

The Processional, then Bible and Missionary Questions and answers made the first scene. "How Some Young People Raised Their Pledge" was another scene given by the Young People of Rose Hill. Then followed a scene from the Sue Bennett Memorial School. A Korean scene—Toksumie and Her Pupils given by Mrs. Howard Branch and eight small children was much appreciated. "Jesus Loves Me, This I Know," was beautifully sung by the children in the Korean language.

Little Miss Fannie Corbett O'Keef captivated the congregation with her Korean solo.

Miss Josie Foy gave a splendid reading on "The Conference Officers will Get You, If You don't watch out."

The entire program was a fitting climax to Mrs. Rhodes' fine years work. Her enthusiasm, her energy and her consecration make her a leader, who has stamped her name indelibly on the North Carolina Conference.

Memoirs

In Memoriam.

MRS. F. S. LOVE
Aberdeen Auxiliary.

MRS. J. A. McALLISTER
Chestnut Street Auxiliary, Lumberton.

MRS. LIZZIE RHODES
Richlands Auxiliary.

MRS. MARY GREEN FEARING
First Church Auxiliary, Elizabeth City.

MRS. R. C. EVANS
Manteo Auxiliary.

MRS. CYNTHIA PUGH
Wanchese Auxiliary.

MRS. W. H. HUNTER
Andersons Auxiliary.

MISS ANNIE RIDDICK
Gatesville Auxiliary.

MRS. B. G. HICKS
Louisburg Auxiliary.

MRS. MARY BORDEN
Grace Auxiliary, Wilmington.

MRS. NETTIE HARRISON BLALOCK
Centenary Auxiliary, New Bern.

MRS. F. C. NEWBY
MRS. A. K. HARDY
Hertford Auxiliary.

MRS. J. M. BENSON
MRS. HARRIS RICHARDSON
Kenly Auxiliary.

MRS. REBECCA TELFAIR HORTEN
MRS. SALLIE BROWN
MRS. JOHN W. EVANS
Edenton St. Auxiliary, Raleigh.

OFFICERS' REPORTS.

[No. 1]

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE.

The two practices most strongly urged upon the Auxiliaries for the past two years have been the holding of the pledge meetings, and the making of quarterly payments.

At the close of last year we found that a far larger number than ever before had held the pledge meetings in January. A large number of Auxiliaries, also, had urged and secured quarterly payments. As a direct result of this attention to business, two things were especially noticeable, First: Interest in the work was far more lively; Second: We came nearer than ever before to raising our full pledge. Promptness in meeting obligations, not only oils the machinery of business, but tends always to increase business; so along with the pledge increase came also increase in membership and dues, advance in all specials, and a larger number at work studying the subject of missions.

1916.

The year just closing has been one of rather more uneven history than was the previous year. The world about us has felt a little more keenly the terrible jostle that has been given society. The steady advance in living costs, and the fear of yet unreached high levels, have both curtailed our funds for other than the needs of living, and brought on a caution in expenditure and giving that is new to us. These things also have held back some from assuming any new obligations and a few have written that "Since we need all our funds for ourselves we have decided to give up the Missionary work and become an Aid Society."

Several special gifts on pledge last year were not available this year. Leaving these out of account we have really raised among the Auxiliaries a much larger sum on pledge than ever before.

Our work is an ever-widening one and there is no way to keep up with our needs but constantly to multiply our present activities.

We need more women, young people, and children at work. We need more intimate knowledge of what is being done and should be undertaken. We need more of our means for support. We need more of life for life.

Social Program.

The Council of April, 1916, recommended that the Social Service Topic for study and investigation during the year 1917 be "Social Legislation."

The program provided by the Council is for adoption by the Conferences and I want therefore to urge that this be a year marked for its social study and social activity.

Our Conference Superintendent of social service will report to you some concert of action with superintendents of other organizations. I would recommend a close federation with these superintendents. I would recommend also that the program as adopted by

the Council become our basis for action—the program to be incorporated in our annual report.

I recommend further that we put ourselves on record as favoring pending legislation by our State looking to the establishment of a home for delinquent girls and women.

That we make more systematic and thorough study of community conditions. That the president of this society co-operate with the president of the North Carolina Social Service Conference in arranging the dates and programmes for their annual meetings.

The Scarritt Bible and Training School.

I wish if possible to put our Bible and Training School more upon the heart of the Conference. Our response to the call for help in the hour of the School's great need has been unworthy of us. Our contribution to Scarritt ought to be at least $600.00 a year. This to come as regular apportioned contribution from the Auxiliaries. In addition the Conference as such ought to make some substantial gift to the institution. I recommend the appointment of a committee that shall correspond with Miss Gibson and, with her, decide upon the kind of gift to make, and that the committee bring the matter before the Conference in such way as shall assure co-operation. Our best for Scarritt would be in fact but reciprocal. There is only to name Miss Pescud, Miss Lamb, Miss Green, Miss Hankins, the Misses Lowder and Marsh, Miss McKinnon, now in training there, and others of our own and what they have meant to us, not to mention Miss Whiteside and Miss Ellison who minister among us and Miss Combs who at this session pours out her rich experience for our further good—just to speak of them is to bring a new sense of our obligation to our training school. When so great benefits have come to us from Scarritt, we ought in gratitude to pour her out a worthy offering.

Supplies.

The understanding of the supply department which seems to prevail, makes it necessary for your president to speak again of a matter that is difficult to handle without danger of misinterpretation. I refer to the sending of boxes to our Orphanage. Not for once would we make, or dare wish to make, the support of our Orphanage less ample or more difficult. The point is just this, the Woman's Missionary Society is an organization with specific and well defined lines of work. Certain things have been undertaken by the organization and there is no provision for the support of these institu and endeavors except through the organization. To cut off the revenue in any way is to cripple the work.

The Orphanage is the property of the church, not of the Woman's Missionary Society. Provision is made by direct assessment upon the church for the support of the Orphanage. Because of the greater ease of working through an organized body, and because of the warm, direct appeal which the Orphanage makes to the mother heart of the church, there has arisen a far too liberal use of the Auxiliaries as the channel for raising funds for the Orphanage. If all obligations to the Society have been met surely no one would welcome more than your executive committe would welcome all the aid possible for the Orphanage. Until, however, our full obligation is met we have no right to assume new responsibility, especially for a work that is otherwise provided for.

Campaign.

The Campaign which your Executive Committee and Secretaries planned for the autumn has taught us something more of the steady-going temper of our people, and has demonstrated our need for the education of the mass of church membership, and of our lack of thorough organization within the district. I believe we are at the very beginning of the Campaign and I would urge upon the District Secretary immediate steps toward a Campaign that shall fill this year. Surely out of the forty thousand women, young people and children of our Conference we have as yet gathered but a handful.

Field Worker.

I believe we ought to put in the field for this year one of our strongest women and let her go throughout the Conference, district by district, making such a thorough canvass as shall leave no community unreached. This should be a campaign not only for securing membership and funds, but for helping the young life of the church to hear the call of God to definite service for him.

In this closing message to you, I wish to testify to the great goodness and tender mercies of God toward me, and to thank you as a Conference for your support of me and for your forbearance with me in the work during these past eleven years. I believe I have not wanted to shirk, but as you know I have hoped for and had firm expectation of release from duty as an officer more than once. The new duties that have now come to me, make it imperative that another be elected to the presidency at this time.

May the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you all. Amen.

REPORT OF FIRST VICE-PRESIDENT.

[No. 2]

The Young People's Missionary Society of the North Carolina Conference has done a creditable year's work. When the books were handed over to me there were 40 auxiliaries on the list:

Of these there were 10 that made no financial report; 3 of them becoming adult (St. Paul's, No. 1, Goldsboro; Franklinton; Oxford); Kittrell's Church (Elizabeth City District) and Mount Gilead both recently reorganized and will do well in 1917; Greenville and Rose Hill are at work and getting ready for good reports during the coming year; the others (of the 10) have disbanded.

Two (2) of the 40, (Selma and Maxton) made one financial report each and then Selma disbanded and Maxton ("Minnie Wilson") became an adult auxiliary.

The following were organized or reorganized in 1916 and made one or more financial reports: West Durham, Elizabeth City (First Church) Dunn, Fayetteville, Oxford, Aberdeen, Maxton, Raeford, Red Springs, Arcola (Bethlehem Church), Littleton College, Aurora, Farmville, Nashville, Wilson, Wilmington (Fifth Avenue).

During the last quarter of 1916 five (5) were organized and so have not yet sent in financial reports: Trinity Church (Durham), McBrides' (Elizabeth City District), Norlina (Warrenton District), Warren's Chapel and Tarboro (Washington District).

Three (3) auxiliaries (Benson, Methodist Orphanage and Weldon), were organized earlier in the year but have not reported financially.

The "brag auxiliaries" for 1916, because they have reported "promptly, accurately, quarterly," are:

Durham District, Memorial (Durham).
Elizabeth City District, Anderson's Church (near Hertford).
Elizabeth City District, Hertford Auxiliary.
Fayetteville District, Sanford Auxiliary.
New Bern District, St. Paul's Auxiliary, (Goldsboro).
New Bern District, Trenton Auxiliary.
Raleigh District, Tdenton Street Auxiliary.
Raleigh District, Louisburg No. 1, Auxiliary.
Raleigh District, Louisburg (Wesleyan Daughters).
Raleigh District, Oxford.
Rockingham District, Aberdeen.
Rockingham District, Fairmont.
Rockingham District "Lillie Duke" Rockingham.
Rockingham District, Star.
Warrenton District, Littleton.

Status of the Work.

Number of Young People's Auxiliaries	56
Number New and re-organized	24
Number Members	915
Number New Members	266
Subscribers to Voice	37
Subscribers to Y. C. W.	18
Number Auxiliaries observing Week of Prayer	14
Mission Study Classes	18
Auxiliaries reporting four times	15
Auxiliaries reporting once or more	46
Auxiliaries heard from but sending no money	7
District meetings attended	4
Institutes held	8

Financial Report.

Membership Offering	$ 361.71
Relief and Retirement Fund	15.20
Pledge	542.28
Week of Prayer	48.78
Scarritt	13.50
Total	$ 981.47
Conference Expense	28.89
Total sent Treasurer	$1010.36

Local.

Amount expended for relief	$ 86.86
Amount expended on parsonage	2.00
Amount expended on the local	167.34
Value of supplies	15.00
Delegates' expenses	39.37
	$ 310.57
	1010.36
Grand total	$1320.93

MRS. J. M. RHODES,
Conference 1st Vice-President.

REPORT OF SECOND VICE-PRESIDENT.

[No. 3]

Nineteen sixteen has been a good year with our Bright Jewels. There has been decided improvement along all lines. The only things that grieve us are that nine of our old bands have died during the year for lack of lady managers, and that, because of a few of our bands falling behind, we have not gone forward in collections as we had hoped. But we have organized nineteen new bands and eleven baby divisions. As nine bands have died, we can only report a net gain of ten. Our second vice-presidents, with a few exceptions, have done fine work. Many observed their day during the week of prayer; quite a number of new study classes have been started; several report using the bulletin; most do local work; and, I am pleased to see, christian stewardship is growing among our children.

The children are the foundation of all our work and our faithful second vice-presidents are laying a broad and sure foundation for the work of to-morrow. I would therefore call on all of our women to help them in every way possible in their important work. Let us not forget the homely old proverb, "Train up a child in the way he should go and when he is old he will not depart from it."

Many of our bands are reporting more money raised during the year than ever before, but some that have been our best givers have sadly fallen behind this year. If they had but given as before, our collections would have gone far beyond, and our cup of joy would have run over. As it is our Pledge is paid in full and we start the new year with better prospects than we have ever had before—provided you women will be true to your trust, see to it that a good second vice-president is put in charge, and that she has the faithful co-operation of the parents and the membership of the woman's auxiliary. The responsibility is yours.

Memorial Church, Durham, gets the banner again for the largest amount of money raised, $184.06; Centenary, New Bern, is not far behind with $170.90. Hay Street, Fayetteville, wins the banner for the largest amount per member with the splendid report of six dollars per member, total $126.00. The others which raised as much as $100 are Laurinburg, $120.24; Hertford, $101.59, and Queen Street, Kinston, $100.00. These are records to be proud of and I for one, am proud of these my leading bands, but I am also proud of some of the smaller bands which, though the amounts raised are not so large, are just as honorable when all the circumstances are considered. The records of all are set forth in the detailed report attached to this. The banner for the greatest increase in membership goes to Kenly, which added 68 during the year. Hertford with 30 enrolled and raising $23.05, is our best Baby Division.

The banner bands for the districts are: Durham, Memorial, $184.06; Elizabeth City, Hertford, $101.59; Fayetteville, Hay Street, $126.00; New Bern, Centenary, $170.90; Raleigh, Franklinton, $95.26; Rockingham, Laurinburg, $120.24; Warrenton, Weldon, $69.35; Washington, Rocky Mount, $42.00; Wilmington, Grace, $38.18.

The totals for the year are: No. Baby Divisions, 60; Enrolled, 721; No. Junior Divisions, 114; Members, 3371; Subscribers to Young Christian Worker, 510; Baby Enrollment fees, $53.97; Baby Pledge, $164.07; Junior Membership Fees, $1081.98; Junior Pledge, $1682.26; Memorial Roll, $10; Scholarships, $80; total raised, $3072.28.

I wish to thank those good women, our second vice-presidents, who are my co-workers and who have made the past year such a successful one. God will reward their efforts, bless the seed sown, and

give them a glorious harvest. But my sisters, they need your help, especially the help of the mothers. I plead with you if you love your children and want them to have a part in winning this world for Christ, do not forget to aid your second vice-president in every possible way.

As Conference Second Vice-President permit me to make the following suggestions:

1. That our auxiliaries pay more attentio nto the children's work, carefully select the best woman for second vice-president, and where there are no bands organize them and where there are bands co-operate with the second vice-president to make them as largely successful as possible.

2. See that the Young Christian Worker is placed in the hands of every child so far as possible.

3. As it is of great importance that our children be early taught missionary facts, I would urge that the older children be organized into Study Classes, using the books recommended by our Woman's Council, and where the children are too small for that, that the story method be used.

4. As our Mary Black Memorial Hospital, built first by the children of North Carolina Methodism, has been the inspiration of our children through all the past years, ever leading them to better work as they felt it a sacred trust, we request this Conference Society to memorialize the Woman's Council to grant us as our Foreign Special for 1917, $1,000 share in the support of that Hospital according to the Station Plan.

Respectfully submitted,
MRS. N. H. D. WILSON,
Conference Second Vice-President.

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SOCIAL SERVICE.

[No. 4]

Our Social Service Study for the past year has been Institutions for the prevention of disease and for the care of dependents, defectives and delinquents.

Those who have studied these subjects as they have come up each quarter have found them of educational value and I trust they have tended to give a broader view of Social Service. If the work for the prevention of disease and the care of the old or orphaned, the blind, insane or feeble-minded and the delinquent is not adequate it is the province of every Social Service Committee to find out what is needed and then to do everything possible to supply that need.

Our topic for 1917 is Social Legislation. I hope that our Superintendents and their committees will keep a watch on all social legislation and co-operate with other Social Service organizations to procure the best possible laws. Legislation is but the fruit of public sentiment and the most potent factors in creating public sentiment in any community are the Christian women.

The council in urging a broader conception of Social service has not intended, I think, to discourage the work that lies at our door. Some auxiliaries have ceased to elect Superintendents of Social Service as they seem to think the work of this department is now only an educational campaign. It is this, but we are still expected, as our report blanks show, to visit the sick and stranger, the jails and

County Homes and strive in every way to improve the social conditions of our own community.

I have sent literature each quarter to every auxiliary in which I know the name of an officer. The first quarter I sent literature to 121 auxiliaries. The last quarter I sent it to 222—an increase of 101. Not more than twenty-five of these 222 auxiliaries reported the last quarter. That is a fair sample of the reporting throughout the year. Many of the reports have been encouraging and I am sure most of the auxiliaries that have not reported have done good work. Two auxiliaries have reported Bible classes for colored women, others have reported Mothers' Meetings, Story Hours, Sewing Classes, ice stations, sending needy girl to Vashti, clothing orphans, obtaining work for the unemployed, Prayer Services in Jails and County Homes, caring for children during church hour and helping support County Nurse.

I would urge every auxiliary to have a Superintendent of Social Service and study faithfully the Social Service program each quarter. Let the Superintendent have a Committee and let the community know that your department stands ready to co-operate with the Chamber of Commerce, Woman's Clubs or any other organization that is working for social uplift.

Your standing committee on Social Service has been trying to help bring about legislation to provide a home and industrial school for wayward girls and women. We have taken the matter up with representatives of the W. C. T. U., Woman's Club and State Social Service Conference and we are very hopeful that this Legislature will make such a home possible. Let me plead with the auxiliaries not to neglect the Social Service department. It is Christ's work. It is for His sake and for the advancement of His kingdom that we undertake it. Can we look upon the dwarfed bodies and souls of children who work from six a. m. to six p. m. in our mills, and at the pale faced, weak willed lads who are ruining soul and body with the deadly cigarette, at the wayward girls with nothing before them but the house of ill fame or the common jail, at the nauseating moving pictures shown to the youth of our land, at the whole seething mass of suffering humanity that our Lord died to save, and like the Levite draw our cloak of righteousness about us and pass by on the other side?

May the women of our church catch a broader vision of service and consecrate all of their splendid powers to the fulfilling of Christ's social program "And the King shall answer and say unto them, Verily I say unto you; Inasmuch as you have done it unto the least of these my brethren, ye have done it unto me."

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. A. S. BARNES, Superintendent.

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF MISSION STUDY AND PUBLICITY.

[No. 5]

This year's growth is harder to express in mere figures than any before. There is an increase in figures and in the number of reports sent in, but the real advance is in the way in which the women understanding the meaning of **Study** and **Publicity** and the necessity of sending in reports.

Adult.

Number of new mission study classes	77
Number of members	1560

Young People.

Number of new mission study classes	7
Number of members	126

Juniors.

No. of new mission study classes	21
No. of members	510

Reading Circles.

No. of Reading Circles	11

Organized Bible Study.

No. of Auxiliaries	12

Missionary Library.

No. of Auxiliaries	9

General Work.

No. Auxiliaries sending news to Daily Papers	6
No. Auxiliaries sending news to Weekly Papers	12
No. Auxiliaries using monthly Bulletin	80
No. Auxiliaries reporting members who read the Woman's Page in Advocate	76

It was a pleasure to present the work of our department personally at four District meetings. Several lengthy papers on the subject of Study and Publicity have been prepared and sent to Auxiliary Superintendents who requested them. The Bulletins have gone out each month and if any Superintendent failed to receive them it was unintentional on my part. Numerous letters have been sent and many encouraging and inspiring letters from this fine band of Superintendents have brought joy to my heart.

To know that we have consecrated and prayerful women in this work makes us realize the truth of the couplet.

"When the workman hath wrought the best he could,
Whatever the work God makes it good."

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. HARVEY J. BONEY.

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SUPPLIES.

[No. 6]

Warrenton sent two boxes to Orphanage	$ 25.00
Weldon sent two boxes to Orphanage	40.00
Windsor sent two boxes to Orphanage	59.25
Murfreesboro sent two boxes to Orphanage	44.00
Louisburg sent two boxes to Orphanage	40.00
Fairmont sent one box to Orphanage	18.00
	$ 226.25

Louisburg sent one box to Preacher	$ 10.00
Louisburg sent one box to Brevard	5.00
Sunbury sent one box to Preacher	15.00
Rocky Mount sent one box to Preacher	111.50
Warrenton sent one box to Preacher	6.50
Wilmington sent one box to Preacher	70.00
Wilson sent one box to Preacher	72.00
Durham, Young Woman's, Trinity Church, 1 box to preacher	20.00
	$ 310.00

Boxes have been sent to all who applied, but there have not been as many calls as last year. The ladies have responded liberally and the boxes sent have been gratefully received.

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. IDA T. WILKINS.

REPORT OF CORRESPONDING SECRETARY.

[No. 7]

It is hard to realize that reporting time is here again, and that another year's work of the Woman's Missionary Society of the North Carolina Conference has been finished. Not finished in just the manner we wished, far from it. Still we are glad to say we have gone forward along some lines.

At our Annual Meeting last January it was decided to continue our campaign for new members. As a result, we have 18 new Adult Societies, with 312 new members; 10 new Young People's Societies, with 100 new members; and 19 new Junior Divisions, with 252 new members (not including babies added to their Division). From this we realize that our District Secretaries, Conference Officers and other faithful ones have been at work. We are so glad to have these new workers, and know that they, too, will find joy in this work for the Master. We have as a total enrollment, not including babies, 8,446 women and children, but when we know that there are in our Conference not less than 69,750 women and children, we see how far short we are of the longed for goal; namely, "A Missionary Society in every church with every woman and child a member." Either we were not as faithful in observing our Week of Prayer or else somebody was careless in reporting, for we fell short of last year's figures in this particular, and how we do need to observe it! We need to pray more and to learn more of the work, then the giving will take care of itself.

Harvest Day has proven a good thing in some societies at least, and I believe we should stress it more and more until as a Conference we have learned to finish up our reports promptly, with no stragglers to come trailing in with the "hope that this may be included in your report."

We are going forward, rather slowly I must admit, but still forward, as to paying one-fourth of our obligations, dues, pledge, etc., quarterly. We have not left nearly so much for the fourth quarter this year as last; still there is much room for improvement and we want to continue to work towards the ideal plan of paying in full quarterly.

I am grieved that I must tell you that again we are short on our pledge. Yes, $1,200.00 short. That this is indeed nothing short of a calamity, we are all agreed. Some of our strongest societies failed

us which makes it all the more to be regretted. Can't we who are here carry back such a stirring message to our societies that they must feel the importance of measuring up? Just so far as we fail in meeting our obligations, we favor withdrawing workers from the various fields. In our hearts we do not favor this; we want the Lord's work to grow; but to grow we must increase our gifts, not let them fall off. Let each of us go home from this Annual Meeting feeling that the responsibility of raising our Pledge rests upon me and upon my society, and with God's help we will raise it this year. If each delegate feels this enough to impress it on her society and continues to feel it throughout the year, next January we will have no shortage in Pledge to report. God give us faith and courage to say with Saint Paul "I can do all things through Christ which strengtheneth me."

We do rejoice that this year the Woman's Missionary Society of the North Carolina Conference has a representative in Scarritt preparing for a larger work, one of our brightest and strongest young women, your own Conference Corresponding Secretary, Miss Sallie Lou McKinnon. How I wish she were one of a half dozen instead of the only one. When she left us in September to prepare herself for a larger work, I consented to do her book work only and, of course, it is impossible for me to make any adequate report of the great personal work she has done. We shall miss her cheerful, enthusiastic personal help throughout the Conference, but it will be a consolation to us to realize that our loss is others' gain. We cannot overestimate what her going will mean to those less fortunate than ourselves, and may our prayers follow her to whatever field she may be called.

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. F. B. McKINNE,
Corresponding Secretary.

Statistical Report.

Number of Adult Auxiliaries	160
Number of Adult Members	4,160
Number of Young Peoples Auxiliaries	51
Number of Young Peoples Members	915
Number of Junior Divisions	114
Number of Junior Members	3,371
Number of Baby Divisions	60
Number of Baby Members	721
Subscribers to Missionary Voice	1,208
Subscribers to Young Christian Worker	519
Number of Scholarships Supported	8
Number of Bible Women Supported	6
Number of Schools Supported	2

TREASURER'S REPORT.

[No. 8]

December 31, 1916.

Dues:		
Adult	$ 7,309.03	
Young People, Membership Offerings	367.71	
Junior Division, Membership offerings	1,081.98	
Baby Division, Membership offerings	53.97—	$ 8,812.69

Pledge:			
Adult		$ 10,391.24	
Young Peoples		542.28	
Junior Division		1,682.26	
Baby Division, including Mite Boxes		164.07	
Reavis China (Mrs. P. A. Reavis)	$ 200.00		
Blanche Fentress	184.36		
Day School, China	60.00—$	444.36—$	13,224.21
Scholarships:			
Deaconess		$ 5.35	
Mary Pescud: Brazil (Raleigh)		40.00	
Elizabeth Stagg: Brazil (Durham)		40.00	
Della Bobbitt: China (Banks Chapel)		40.00	
Bettie Vann (Mrs. Vann)		40.00	
Clara Martin: Korea (Mrs. Frank Page)		40.00	
Lillian Gill: Brazil (Laurinburg Young Women)		40.00	
Lucie R. Williams (Miss L. R. Williams)		40.00—$	285.35
Bible Women:			
Lou Hill Davis: Korea (Louisburg Aug.)		$ 60.00	
Roxanna Humble: Hayes Wilkins (Carthage)		60.00	
Helen Fitts: China (Steel Street Auxiliary, Sanford)		60.00	
Sallie Smith: China (Mrs. Mary F. Humber)		60.00	
Japanese, by Aurora Auxiliary		75.00	
Malene Harrell Grant Memorial Fund, by Gates County Institute, Mrs. S. I. Harrell and Rev. T. M. Grant		75.00—$	390.00
Retirement and Relief:			
Adult		$ 221.94	
Young People		15.20—$	237.1b
Scarritt Endowment Fund:			
Adult		$ 335.65	
Young People		13.50—$	349.15
Week of Prayer:			
Adult		$ 1,056.57	
Young People		48.78—$	1,105.35
Memorial Roll:			
Louis Armstrong: St. Paul, Goldsboro			10.00
			$ 22,431.89
Checks, Conference Treasurer to General Treasurer			$ 24,431.89
Conference Expense Fund:			
Balance from last year			$ 666.38
Adult		$ 971.27	
Young People		28.89—$	1,000.16
Collection			13.55
			$ 1,680.09

Expense for year:		
Printing	182.36	
Conference Officers	683.00—$	865.36
Balance Conference Expense on hand		814.73

Summary:

Remitted to Conference Treasurer 1916	$ 25,414.05
Remitted to Conference Treasurer 1915	25,157.26
Increase	256.79
Local Work reported for 1916	$ 13,518.70
Local Work reported for 1915	13,673.25
Decrease	$ 154.55
Grand total	$ 38,932.75

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. N. E. EDGERTON, Treasurer.

W. H. CALL, Auditor.

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LITERATURE.

[No. 9]

One year ago when I consented to serve as Superintendent of Literature I thought of it, as being a matter of routine work, and, having a most obliging husband, I had no dread of that.

We have found it no small task but not an irksome one, for we hope that through this service we are helping in a small way to advance the cause of Missions and thus, extend the Kingdom. I have tried to do more than the routine work.

Realizing that there has been a waste of Literature, prepared for us at large expense, I formed a letter urging a more careful use of the same, and also encouraging the use of our woman's page in the Raleigh Christian Advocate, of the Missionary Voice, and of the Minutes of the Conference.

Every woman in the Missionary Societies should be familiar with Page "8" of the Advocate. Here we find all the "Notices" of the Conference Officers, letters of information, correspondence from our Sister Auxiliaries, fresh news from the Field, etc. You will find it most interesting, if you have not already.

As for the "Voice", we cannot afford to be without it. It has been suggested that the price of the "Voice" should be included in the dues,—a very wise suggestion, I think. The oft repeated phrase is no less true—"Information brings inspiration," and the Missionary Voice is a perfect "Storehouse."

Of course we want to know what is being done by our own Conference Society, and to be familiar with her Laws, etc. This we gaing through the use of the "Minutes."

I have had a number of calls for Literature that I do not handle, these I refer to the Home Base Secretary, Mrs. B. W. Lipscombe, 810 Broadway, Nashville, Tenn.

Most of the literature can be secured for the asking, for other there is a small cost. I only distribute leaflets bearing on the monthly subject of study.

There have been several complaints that the Literature has not

been received. In each case the address seemed correct so the package was either misplaced, or (as my husband suggested) intercepted by the husband who did not want his wife to receive so much Missionary Literature—which is hardly probable.

According to our mailing list, we have 168 Auxiliaries in the North Carolina Conference, 11 are new ones (have lost three). We have 25 "Prospective" names on the list.

We are very anxious to have a complete list, and will appreciate the co-operation of all.

Some have wondered why the packages bore the postmark of "Teachy". The postmistress there is a widow, and my good husband thought we could do a bit of Home Mission work by giving her the cancellation, it being just as convenient for him to leave them there, as he passes through every day.

And just here I want to give credit where credit is due. Captain Hart does all of the addressing and mailing, and, if it were not for his assistance, I fear I would not have the courage to undertake the work. We, at least, have one man who is working for the "Woman's Missionary Society."

Trusting that this work has been profitable, I am

Yours in service,

MRS. E. L. HART.

EDITOR'S REPORT OF ADVOCATE PAGE.

[No. 10]

The year 1916-1917 is a closed book. Many mistakes have been made and much has been unsatisfactory but the material used was yours—what you sent or what was culled from other sources.

An added interest has been manifested and some encouragement given in the fact that our officers have helped to make the page of interest and use in their departments. This is as it should be. If our page can be inspirational as well as educational it will mean much to our women.

Again you are requested to send your contributions a week ahead of time as the material must be in the printers hands by Thursday of every week.

The Conference is earnestly asked to make criticism of the work. It is yours and your suggestions will be welcome.

Items of interest or some account of special meetings should accompany your list of officers. Last year you were asked to send your list of officers to your District Secretary and your items of news to the Advocate Page.

We want an interesting page and your earnest help is needed to make it so.

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. E. C. DUNCAN, Editor.

Committee Reports.

REPORT OF COMMITTTE ON FINANCE.

[No. 1]

We, your Committee on Finance, recommend—

1st. That the Conference Expense Fund of 50 cents per member for adults, 25 cents per member for Young People, and 10 cents per member for Relief and Retirement fund be collected the first quarter.

2nd. That the Auxiliary President urge the quarterly payment of all dues and specials. Failure to do this forces the Council to borrow money on which it must pay interest.

3rd. That December 1st or near as practicable be observed as Harvest day by each Auxiliary.

4th. That the Treasurers of each Auxiliary shall send all money and reports to district secretary of her district, and the money and reports of young people be sent to first Vice-President, and money and reports of Junior Baby division be sent to 2nd Vice-President, the first day of the month each quarter.

5th. That each district Secretary 1st and 2nd vice-president, shall send all money and reports to Conference Treasurer by the 10th of the month each quarter.

6th. That we pay a pledge of $15,000 above our dues and specials for the support of our missionary work.

MRS. N. E. EDGERTON, Chairman.
MRS. C. V. JOHNSON, Secretary.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON YOUNG PEOPLE'S WORK.

[No. 2]

In addition to accepting as far as is practicable, the recommendations of the Council for Young People, we suggest the following:

1. Special efforts be made during 1917 by Adult First Vice-President to get young people interested in Bible Study and Mission Study, and tactfully to work and pray for volunteers.

2. That at the Annual Meeting the young people be seated in one group, as the Districts are seated, using heir pennants to designate their section.

3. That a Y. P.'s hour with Conference 1st Vice-President be allowed each morning, after the first day in a separate room, for instruction, information, questions and answers, etc.

4. Have some premium or honorable mention of all the auxiliaries having an active delegate at the annual meeting.

5. That the Young People make use of page 8 in the Advocate for reporting their work.

6. That if possible the Annual Conference may not conflict with mid-term examination.

MRS. J. M. RHODES, Chairman,
MRS. C. H. FORE, Secretary.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CHILDREN'S WORK.

[No. 3]

The Committee makes the following recommendations:

1. That our auxiliaries pay more attention to the children's work,

carefully select the best woman for second vice-president, where there are no bands organize them and where there are bands cooperate with the second vice-president to make them as largely successful as possible.

2. Se that the Young Christian Worker is placed in the hands of every child so far as possible.

3. As it is of great importance that our children be early taught missionary facts, we would urge that our older children be organized into Study Classes using the books recommended by our Womans' Council, and where the children are too small for that, that the story method be used.

4. As our Mary Black Memorial Hospital, built by the children of North Carolina Methodism, has been the inspiration of our children through all the past years, ever leading them to better work as they felt it a sacred trust, we resues his Conference Society to memorialize the Woman' Council to grant us as our Foreign Special for 1917 a $1,000 share in the support of that Hospital according to the Station Plan.

Respectfully submitted,
MRS. N. H. D. WILSON, Chmn.
MRS. E. V. WEBB, Secretary.

REPORT OF EXTENSION OF WORK.

[No. 4]

Your committee on Extension of Work submits the following report:

Whereas, we are fully conscious of the fact that the missionary work of our Conference is being done by a small proportion of the women of our church, and as we realize the increased need for workers and the need of the women for the blessing that comes through the missionary work; and whereas, we feel the need of a continuation of the special campaign for new members and organizations in order to enlist the membership of the church:

1. We recommend that the Corresponding Secretary and the first and second Vice-Presidents of the Conference constitute a continuation committee, who shall have charge of the movement in Conference.

2. We recommend, That each District Secretary name a committee in her district of which she is chairman. This committee shall plan and direct the campaign in her district.

3. We recommend, That the District Secretary through the auxiliaries secure a membership committee who shall canvas the church for new members.

Respectfully submitted,
MRS. W. F. MURPHY, Chairman.
MRS. D. O. DANIEL, Secretary.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON MISSION STUDY AND PUBLICITY.

[No. 5]

The committee on mission study and publicity, realizing the importance of study and publicity, in that "knowledge is power", submit the following recommendations:

1. That in every auxiliary extreme care be taken in the selection of a superintendent of study and publicity.

2. That a mission study class be organized in each adult and young people's auxiliary, and an effort be made to enlist every woman in the church in mission study.

3. That study classes be organized in all Junior Divisions.

4. That systematic Bible study be urged by every superintendent of study and publicity.

5. That this superintendent shall give to the secular press missionary notes of interest, thus giving the public the benefi of the latest news from our mission field.

6. That the superintendent of study and publicity be urged to fill out the quarterly report blanks and return promptly to the Conference superintendent of study and publicity.

7. That the auxiliary superintendent seek interesting bits of missionary news for the Woman's page in the Raleigh Christian Advovate, and in turn present the news to be found on our Woman's page to her auxiliary.

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. H. J. BONEY,
MRS. M. C. DIXON.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON SOCIAL SERVICE.

[No. 6]

We, the Social Service Committee, make the following recommendations:

1. That a standing committee on Social Service be appointed by Superintendent of Social Service for the purpose of investigating present conditions, discovering needs and bringing them before the people through our local and church papers. This committee shall also work to secure legislation for the betterment of social conditions and for the enforcement of laws already enacted.

2. That each local auxiliary co-operate with all civic organizations for public welfare. To promote Traveler's Aid work, agitate the need of police matrons, and to secure wholesome recreation.

3. That we call attention to the immodest dress of our women, and the attendant evils.

4. That we decry the low standard of moving picture shows and endeavor to secure local censorship with Christian women on the board.

5. That we seek to mould public sentiment in favor of a single standard of morality.

6. The strict enforcement of the law regulating the sale of habit forming drugs and the enactment and enforcement of laws abolishing the liquor traffic, and also of the deadly cigarette. Also discourage the use of coca-cola.

7. That our Annual Conference be held at a time that will not conflict with the meeting of the State Social Service Conference and that as many of our women as possible attend the same.

8. That the Social Service Committee of the auxiliary make a careful study of the subjects sent out each quarter and present the results at the regular Social Service meeting.

MRS. A. S. BARNES, Chairman.
MRS. J. E. STEVICK, Secretary.

RESOLUTIONS.

Whereas, the Woman's Missionary Conference has been so delightfully entertained by Grace Church and people at Wilmington; therefore, be it Resolved:

1. That we wish to express our heartfelt appreciation of the gracious hospitality dispensed and numerous courtesies shown.

2. That we greatly appreciate the presence of our connectional officer, Mrs. B. W. Lipscomb, and thank her so for the beautiful address and Bible talks she gave us. We are sure her presence has been both beneficial and inspiring.

3. That we tender our sincere appreciation to Misses Pescud, Lamb, Combs, Hankins and Ellison for splendid inspiring talks on the work of their respective fields.

4. That our thanks are due Rev. M. T. Plyler for faithful, untiring courtesies.

5. For the beautiful address of welcome, the decorations, the music and to every one who has contributed in any way to the success of this Conference.

6. That our thanks are due Mr. W. B. Cooper for the delightful trip to Wrightsville Beach and assure him it was enjoyed and appreciated by all.

"God be with you till we meet again!
Keep love's banner floating o'er you,
Smite, death's threatening wave before you;
God be with you till we meet again!

MRS. E. T. WHITE,
MRS. T. A. PERSON,
MISS ANNIE NEAL FULLER.

YOUNG PEOPLE'S FINANCIAL REPORT FOR 1916.

DISTRICTS.	Dues.	Pledge.	Conference Expenses.	Retirement and Relief.	Scarritt B. T. S.	Week of Prayer.	Totals.	
Durham District—								
Memorial (Durham)	$11.07	$35.50	$4.00	$1.40	$2.00	$5.00	$58.97	
Roxboro	12.00	16.50	.75	.75	.....	.....	30.00	
*Trinity (Durham)	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
West Durham	2.30	5.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	7.30	--$ 96.27
Elizabeth City District—								
Anderson's (Hertford, R. F. D.)	$18.90	11.20	3.75	.80	.....	.....	34.65	
Elizabeth City (First Church)	3.20	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3.20	
Hertford	8.70	10.00	2.55	.45	.....	6.50	25.65	
Kittrells	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Manteo	5.98	10.03	.25	.....	.....	.....	16.26	
*McBrides	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	--$ 79.76
Fayetteville District—								
Carthage	4.20	5.15	.....	.....	.....	.....	9.35	
Dunn	8.35	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	8.35	
Fayetteville	1.25	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1.25	
Pittsboro	6.50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6.50	
Sanford	26.35	71.25	4.25	1.80	.....	.....	103.65	
Siler City	4.75	2.00	.....	.....	1.00	.....	7.75	-$ 136.85
New Bern District—								
Faison	5.50	7.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	12.50	
Morehead City	15.70	7.50	.....	.95	.....	.....	24.15	
St. Paul's (Goldsboro)	23.10	50.00	.....	.....	.....	1.75	74.85	
Trenton	4.76	11.50	.....	.....	.....	.....	16.26	-$ 127.76
Raleigh District—								
Benson	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Cary	11.56	7.45	4.59	1.90	2.00	1.80	29.30	
Edenton Street (Raleigh)	10.20	24.43	2.85	1.30	2.00	7.06	47.84	
Louisburg No. 1	17.50	40.10	3.15	.70	.....	.....	61.45	
Louisburg—"Wesleyan Daughters"	19.45	15.50	.....	.....	.....	.....	34.95	
M. E. Orphanage (Raleigh)	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Plank Chapel	17.70	15.00	.....	.....	2.00	1.00	35.70	
Selma	1.65	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1.65	-$ 254.00
Rockingham District—								
Aberdeen	14.40	16.20	.....	.....	.....	.....	30.60	
Fairmont	9.11	21.10	.....	.....	2.00	2.50	34.71	
"Lillie Duke" (Rockingham)	15.95	17.35	2.55	1.15	.....	.....	37.00	
Maxton	3.80	5.50	1.00	.25	.....	.....	10.55	
Mount Gilead	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Raeford	3.30	.....	.....	.....	2.50	.....	5.80	
Red Springs	3.59	24.56	.....	.....	.....	.....	28.17	
Rowland	1.80	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1.80	
Star	7.20	.....	.25	.10	10.00	.20	17.75	-$ 166.38
Warrenton District—								
Arcola (Bethlehem church)	2.18	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2.18	
Littleton	15.60	15.70	.....	1.00	.....	6.11	38.41	
Littleton College	1.91	9.35	1.00	1.00	1.00	7.00	21.26	
*Norlina	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Weldon	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Windsor	3.25	.....	.....	.....	.....	3.00	6.25	--$ 68.10
Washington District—								
Aurora	3.85	1.30	.....	.....	.....	.....	4.15	
Farmville	.90	2.45	.....	.....	.....	.....	3.35	
Greenville	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Nashville	15.55	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15.55	
Spring Hope	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2.30	2.30	
*Tarboro	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
*Warren's Chapel (Blounts Creek)	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Wilson	2.40	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2.40	--$ 27.75
Wilmington District—								
Fifth Avenue (Wilmington)	5.50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5.50	
"Ida Hankins" (Wilmington)	7.90	25.65	2.90	1.00	.....	.85	38.30	
Richlands	8.25	8.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	16.25	
Rose Hill	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Southport	.....	13.44	.....	.....	.....	.....	13.44	--$ 73.49
Total for Districts	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	- 1010.36
Local Work—								
Amount expended for relief							86.86	
Amount expended on parsonage							2.00	
Amount expended on other local work							167.34	
Amount expended on box of supplies							15.00	
Delegates' Expenses							39.37	--$310.57
Grand total							.....	--1320.93

* Organized last quarter of 1916.

STATISTICAL REPORT OF BRIGHT JEWELS.

DISTRICTS.	Baby Division.			Junior Division.				Sub. to Young Christian Worker
	Number Members.	Amount of Enrollment Fees.	Amount from Mite boxes.	Number Members.	Amount of Membership Fees.	Amount from Mite boxes.	Total amount raised.	
Durham District—								
Chapel Hill	....	$.....	$.....	16	$ 1.26	$ 6.92	$ 8.18	1
Durham: Memorial	7	1.25	3.51	65	27.51	111.79	184.06	20
Durham: Trinity	....	.....	.....	20	10.60	12.85	23.45	4
Leesburg	....	.....	.....	29	12.10	9.00	21.10	3
Milton	....	.....	.....	25	4.00	3.50	7.50	5
Roxboro	23	.75	7.65	46	19.50	18.43	46.33	—
Yanceyville	....	.....	.....	..	1.50	1.50	3.00	3
Total	30	2.00	11.16	220	76.47	163.99	293.62	36
Elizabeth City District—								
Anderson	....	.....	.....	54	10.39	9.45	19.84	12
Edenton	....	.....	1.25	..	2.10	.....	3.35	—
Eliza. City: City Road	....	.....	.....	38	5.20	3.50	8.70	1
E. City: First Church	3	.75	.43	51	8.77	22.07	32.02	6
Gatesville	3	.25	2.50	25	9.50	12.75	25.00	7
Hertford	30	6.00	17.05	60	33.10	45.44	101.59	12
Manteo	5	.....	.21	32	.....	10.55	10.76	5
New Hope	8	2.50	.....	30	9.49	6.69	18.68	—
Pantego	2	.....	.....	30	9.55	29.45	39.00	6
Parkers	5	.....	.....	28	6.02	8.38	14.40	—
Philadelphia	5	.....	3.59	9	1.80	3.71	9.10	3
Plymouth	....	.....	.....	31	2.90	2.00	4.90	4
Wanchese	....	.....	.....	63	35.34	30.00	65.34	13
Zion	2	.25	1.38	14	.30	.....	1.93	—
Total	63	9.75	26.41	460	142.91	175.54	354.61	69
Fayetteville District—								
Camp Ground	2	.....	.....	29	5.15	30.14	35.29	2
Carthage	8	.75	.....	8	2.70	.....	3.45	—
Dunn	24	1.00	11.53	45	17.58	40.64	70.75	1
Fayetteville, Hay St.	....	.....	.....	21	12.25	113.75	126.00	2
Jonesboro	....	.....	.....	28	1.60	3.60	5.20	1
Merry Oaks	....	.....	.....	..	.....	2.07	2.07	–
Pittsboro	3	.....	.....	17	3.46	5.35	8.81	6
Roseboro	3	.....	.58	12	2.05	.37	3.00	17
Sanford	....	.....	.....	23	10.50	9.50	20.00	6
Siler City	....	.....	.....	27	4.15	8.92	13.07	1
Total	40	1.75	12.11	220	59.44	214.34	287.64	36
New Bern District—								
Goldsboro, Elm Street	....	.....	.....	62	2.00	.....	2.00	1
Goldsboro, St. Paul	10	.....	8.17	45	16.30	48.44	82.91	13
Hookerton	13	1.00	7.24	16	9.30	17.33	34.87	8
Kinston	9	.50	3.35	72	27.55	68.60	100.00	1
LaGrange	....	.....	.....	15	.....	9.30	9.30	—
Morehead City	18	2.25	1.79	44	18.56	17.09	39.69	20
New Bern, Centenary	49	2.00	14.60	58	54.30	100.00	170.90	17
Ocracoke	....	.....	.....	22	8.80	.....	8.80	—
Ormonds Chapel	....	.....	.....	18	5.38	5.25	10.63	—
Pollocksville	....	.....	.....	12	3.00	1.00	4.00	—
Trenton	....	1.31	.....	..	1.65	1.98	4.94	—
Total	110	7.06	35.15	374	146.84	268.99	468.04	61
Raleigh District—								
Banks	6	.40	.75	16	6.90	7.97	16.02	2
Benson	20	.....	.....	40	3.55	.....	3.55	7
Cary	....	.....	.....	15	7.25	15.93	23.18	—
Clayton	13	2.75	.50	28	9.10	.65	13.00	12
Four Oaks	....	.....	.....	16	3.71	2.00	5.71	6
Franklinton	19	.75	5.72	20	13.20	35.59	95.26	16
Fuquay Springs	....	.....	.....	35	7.15	10.07	17.22	6
Kenly	12	2.00	3.75	86	9.50	6.47	21.72	3
Louisburg	12	.....	.....	14	10.61	6.95	17.56	2
Oxford	12	.25	.50	31	14.90	21.05	36.70	10
Plank Chapel	....	.....	.....	16	10.17	13.00	23.17	8
Raleigh, Central	4	.....	.....	39	4.63	14.94	19.59	3
Raleigh, Edenton St.	23	1.00	.....	46	21.93	33.10	56.03	7
Salem	....	.....	.....	9	5.00	5.00	10.00	2
Selma	10	1.00	1.75	41	.40	19.20	22.35	3
Smithfield	35	1.00	5.92	45	3.25	4.25	14.42	—
Zebulon	2	.....	.....	16	7.95	15.39	23.34	2
Total	168	9.15	18.89	513	139.20	211.56	418.80	85

STATISTICAL REPORT OF BRIGHT JEWELS.

DISTRICTS.	Baby Division.			Junior Division.				
	Number Members.	Amount of Enrollment Fees.	Amount from Mite boxes.	Number Members.	Amount of Membership Fees.	Amount from Mite boxes.	Total Amount Raised.	Sub. to Young Christian Worker
Rockingham District—								
Aberdeen	....	.....	.....	12	$ 1.50	$	$ 1.50	3
Biscoe	....	.....	.....	18	14.70	24.80	39.50	7
Elizabethtown	3	.....	.....	14	7.35	2.07	9.42	4
Fairmont	4	1.25	.....	57	12.20	28.80	42.25	13
Hamlet	....	.....	.....	45	17.20	27.95	45.15	—
Laurinburg	....	.....	.....	56	26.19	94.05	120.24	12
Lumberton	....	.....	.....	26	5.85	.....	5.85	—
Maxton	22	1.50	.25	30	6.90	29.85	38.50	7
Mount Gilead	....	.....	.....	73	31.75	25.00	56.75	14
Raeford	....	.....	.....	29	11.61	14.76	26.37	13
Red Springs	....	.....	.....	33	12.06	11.98	24.04	13
Rockingham	2	.....	1.25	34	14.85	21.17	37.27	3
Troy	....	.....	.....	19	2.30	.....	2.30	—
Wadeville	1	.25	.05	6	.30	.87	1.47	1
Total	32	3.00	1.55	452	164.76	281.30	450.61	90
Warrenton District—								
Ahoskie	5	.....	.....	8	4.06	2.11	6.17	2
Bethlehem	....	.....	.....	15	4.52	5.04	9.56	—
Conway	....	.....	.....	20	4.10	.....	4.10	—
Enfield	....	.....	.....	24	6.15	.....	6.15	—
Garysburg	....	.....	.....	38	24.50	4.20	28.70	—
Henderson	....	.....	.....	31	11.66	39.10	50.76	10
Jackson	....	.....	.....	44	22.08	39.81	61.80	8
Littleton	20	.25	5.76	26	9.65	13.39	29.05	7
Macon	....	.....	.....	25	6.65	1.20	7.85	—
Murfreesboro	13	.....	.....	25	10.60	20.92	31.52	4
Roanoke Rapids	....	.....	.....	30	9.40	9.66	19.06	5
Roxobel	....	.....	.....	15	4.15	4.55	8.70	—
Union	1	.25	.....	20	1.50	5.00	6.75	—
Warren Plains	....	.....	.....	..	4.05	1.50	5.55	—
Warrenton	10	2.50	.....	25	15.00	10.00	27.50	—
Weldon	21	.50	11.25	49	29.60	28.00	69.35	16
Windsor	15	1.00	16.00	25	13.00	5.00	35.00	—
Winton	9	1.00	1.95	18	7.18	8.87	19.00	3
Total	94	5.50	34.96	448	187.85	198.35	426.66	55
Washington District—								
Aurora	....	.....	.....	6	2.98	11.76	14.74	—
Campbell's Creek	9	.25	.25	..	.....	.....	.50	—
Farmville	....	.....	.....	20	1.00	.....	1.00	—
Fremont	3	.....	.....	34	1.81	3.23	5.04	2
Greenville	40	6.20	.....	66	21.88	11.75	39.83	12
Idalia	....	.....	.....	24	2.60	11.42	14.02	—
Mauls Point	....	.....	.....	14	1.78	2.37	4.15	—
Nashville	4	.53	.....	31	5.68	4.55	10.76	7
Rocky Mount	22	1.25	2.00	55	9.75	29.00	42.00	1
Spring Hope	17	2.00	.35	17	6.36	5.40	14.11	1
Swan Quarter	....	.....	.....	22	4.40	.....	4.40	—
Washington	24	2.53	5.60	28	14.30	11.00	33.43	7
Wilson	5	1.25	1.65	31	5.00	6.00	13.90	5
Total	124	14.01	9.85	358	79.04	96.48	199.38	35
Wilmington District—								
Clinton	....	.....	.....	20	3.63	.....	3.63	—
Johnsons Chapel	....	.....	.....	13	6.79	.....	6.79	3
Magnolia, Trinity	....	.....	.....	24	.75	1.00	1.75	—
Richlands	9	1.25	4.22	28	1.75	7.15	30.19	6
Rose Hill	....	.....	.....	31	11.65	16.30	27.95	6
Southport	....	.....	.....	85	7.70	.....	7.70	—
Wallace	....	.....	.....	34	10.17	10.03	20.20	2
Whiteville	14	.25	.....	18	8.45	4.05	12.75	4
Wilmington: 5th Ave.	17	.25	8.42	..	.....	.....	8.67	—
Wilmington, Grace	20	.....	1.35	38	17.74	19.09	38.18	—
Wilmington: Trinity	....	.....	.....	37	4.65	10.46	15.11	—
Total	60	1.75	13.99	328	85.47	71.71	172.92	21
Total: All districts	721	53.97	164.07	3371	1081.98	1682.26	3072.28	510

Included in the above totals are two scholarships of forty dollars each; one from Franklinton and one, Elizabeth Stagg, from Memorial, Durham, and ($10), Ten Dollars raised by St. Paul, Goldsboro, to place the name of Louise Armstrong on the Memorial Roll and a remittance of $1.50 sent by Mrs. B. B. Thompson from Aurora. The Second Vice-President is in doubt whether this was for Aurora, Idalia, or another society. Only 488 subscribers to the Y. C. W. were reported by the bands but the Business Manager credits us with 510.

DISTRICT SECRETARY'S REPORT.

DURHAM DISTRICT.	Number of Members.	New Members.	Subscribers to Voice.	Mission Study.	Dues.	Conference Expense Fund.	Retirement Fund.	Pledge.	Week of Prayer.	Scarritt School.	Total.	Average per member.	Local Work.	Total for District.
Allensville	12	....	7	....	$ 5.75	$.....	$.....	$ 10.90	$.....	$.....	$ 16.65	$ 1.39	$.....	$ 16.65
Branson	15	....	3	....	9.00	.....	.....	4.75	.....	.....	13.75	.92	.....	13.75
Brooksdale	8	....	6	....	20.00	1.20	.80	15.00	.....	.....	37.00	4.63	.....	37.00
Burlington	35	....	11	....	74.50	16.00	3.40	50.00	1.75	.....	145.65	4.16	116.35	262.00
Carrboro	18	....	1	8	14.25	.50	.50	13.30	.....	.....	28.55	1.59	.....	28.55
Cedar Grove	13	....	....	....	9.40	.....	.....	5.00	.....	.....	14.40	1.11	.....	14.40
Chapel Hill	21	....	4	....	18.05	1.45	1.90	20.05	3.20	.....	44.65	2.13	.....	44.65
Leasburg	16	....	7	9	27.90	4.35	1.40	25.00	.....	1.50	60.15	3.76	17.15	77.30
Memorial	77	1	32	18	117.25	21.35	4.25	218.45	17.87	.....	379.17	4.92	216.90	596.07
Roxboro	65	3	12	....	146.00	15.00	7.00	200.00	.....	2.00	370.00	5.69	590.00	960.00
Trinity	49	3	13	....	87.95	19.05	3.40	167.60	13.89	.....	291.89	5.96	277.25	569.14
Trinity Young Women	42	....	8	15	48.95	7.50	1.65	61.80	.....	.....	119.90	2.85	55.60	175.50
West Durham	24	2	....	....	21.80	3.15	2.85	19.00	6.40	.....	53.20	2.22	2.50	55.70
Yanceyville	12	1	5	....	14.00	1.00	1.00	10.00	13.00	.....	39.00	3.25	.....	39.00
Prospect (new)	12	5	5	....	6.85	1.00	1.00	27.15	10.00	.....	46.00	3.83	20.60	66.60
Duke's Chapel (new)	17	9	10	....	1.70	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1.70	.10	.....	1.70
Bethel (new)	8	8	8	....	4.00	.....	.....	2.00	.....	.....	6.00	.75	.....	6.00
Jones School House (new)	8	8	....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Locust Hill (new)	8	8	....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Milton (new)	8	8	....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
New Hope (new)	12	12	....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Purley (new)	6	6	....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total	496	74	132	50	627.35	91.55	29.15	850.90	66.11	3.50	1667.66	.....	1296.35	3378.90
2 Baby Divisions	30	....	....	....	2.00	.....	.....	11.16	.....	.....	13.16	.....	.....	13.16
7 Junior Divisions	220	....	....	....	76.47	.....	.....	163.99	.....	.....	240.46	.....	.....	240.46
E. Stagg Scholarship	....	....	....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	40.00	.....	.....	40.00
4 Young People's Societies	130	....	13	....	25.37	.75	2.15	57.00	5.00	* 2.00	92.27	.....	29.00	121.27
Total	....	....	....	....	.....	.....	.....	1082.15	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

* Special.

DISTRICT SECRETARY'S REPORT.

ELIZABETH CITY DISTRICT.	Number Members.	New Members.	Sub. to Missionary Voice.	Mission Study.	Dues.	Pledge.	Conference Expense Fund.	Retirement and Relief Fund.	Scarritt Bible Training School.	Blanche Fentress School.	Honorary membership dues.	Week of Prayer.	Scholarship.	Day School in China.	Total sent Conference Treasurer.	Total Local work.	Grand total.
Wanchese, Bethany	34		7	1	$63.65	$31.40	$14.60	$ 1.95	$ 1.55	$ .55	$ 3.35	$ 5.40	$	$	$ 122.45	$40.07	$ 162.52
Manteo	33	1	8	1	45.30	25.00	10.00	2.10				10.00			92.40	326.40	418.80
Kittrells	20				36.60	17.25	4.45		2.00			15.65			75.95		
Zions	15		7		30.45	19.90	3.00	.40							53.75		
Andersons	15		6		48.25	37.75									86.00		
Belhaven	14		3		24.30	4.25	4.30	.65				6.00			39.50	203.24	242.74
Savages	10				3.10										3.10		
Minnie Wilson, Hertford	37		4		87.75	95.75	18.35	3.75			23.00	13.43			242.03	27.27	269.30
Philadelphia	22		11		49.65	18.00	8.00					1.00			76.65	35.85	112.50
Gatesville	27	1	9		49.10	65.00	3.25	1.75	3.50			13.00	40.00		177.60	5.00	182.60
Hertford	26	1	15		60.05	160.75	11.70	2.75	4.00			15.00			254.25	37.30	291.55
Pantego	11	1	8		12.41	16.00						3.00			31.41		
New Hope	20		4		22.45	5.75									28.20	66.00	94.20
Edenton	20				16.15	8.55									24.70		
Hebron	10				3.90										3.90	25.00	28.90
City Road	18				24.40	3.55	5.08	1.02							34.05		
McBride	10				12.82										12.82	13.27	26.05
Elizabeth City, 1st Church	72	1	18		159.88	354.50	33.29	6.69	2.00	8.40		38.50		60.00	663.26	104.99	768.25
Parkers, Corapeake	23				50.23	40.49	1.85		.70						93.27	58.78	152.05
Epworth	4		2		.80		2.00	.40							3.20		
Concord	12				4.00										4.00		
Bible Woman supported by Gates Co. Institute															75.00		
Total	453	5	102		805.24	903.89	121.87	21.46	13.75	8.95	26.35	120.98	40.00	60.00	2197.49	943.17	3140.66
Young People, 6		70	2		30.88	21.20	6.25	1.25				6.50			66.08	20.00	86.08
Baby Divisions, 9		30			9.75	26.41									36.16		36.16
Junior Divisions, 14		460			142.92	175.54									318.46		318.46
Grand total															2618.19		3581.36

DISTRICT SECRETARY'S REPORT.

FAYETTEVILLE DISTRICT.	Number Members.	New Members.	Sub. to Missionary Voice.	Mission Study.	Dues.	Conference Expense Fund.	Retirement Fund.	Pledge.	Week of Prayer.	Specials.	Scarritt Fund.	Amount sent Conference.	Average per Member.	Local work.	Total for year.
Belle Bennett	18	2	12	25	$ 33.45	$ 6.80	$ 1.45	$50.00	$.....	$.....	$.....	$ 91.70	$ 5.09	$ 58.25	$ 149.95
Bynum	17	....	4	....	6.00	.....	.....	5.00	.....	.....	.....	11.00	.....	.....	11.00
Camp Ground	12	....	2	....	14.65	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	14.65	1.22	.....	14.65
Carthage	41	3	8	10	65.00	2.40	.35	15.00	8.50	60.00	1.00	752.25	3.71	107.06	259.31
Dunn	49	4	45	25	117.00	20.75	3.75	150.00	13.60	.....	.40	305.50	6.23	78.23	383.73
Hay Street	70	12	25	20	136.50	33.00	6.00	234.25	22.00	.....	4.60	436.35	6.23	471.84	908.19
Jonesboro	27	6	6	....	28.05	.....	.....	25.00	3.90	60.00	.....	116.95	2.11	.....	116.95
Pittsboro	19	1	8	....	47.15	.....	.....	25.00	11.15	.....	.....	83.30	4.38	119.00	202.30
Roseboro	20	4	7	8	12.50	.....	.....	17.15	.....	.....	.....	29.65	1.48	75.90	105.55
Siler City	18	2	9	....	33.00	3.50	3.50	54.00	18.50	.....	.....	112.50	6.25	.....	112.50
Steel Street	24	4	12	....	24.45	1.70	.65	.....	4.35	60.00	.....	91.15	3.80	143.40	234.55
Total	315	38	138	98	517.75	68.15	15.70	575.40	82.00	180.00	6.00	1445.00	.....	1053.68	2498.68
5 Baby Divisions	40	....	....	....	1.75	.....	.....	12.11	.....	.....	.....	13.86	.....	.....	13.86
10 Junior Divisions	220	....	*36	....	54.44	.....	.....	214.34	.....	.....	.....	273.78	.....	.....	273.78
6 Young Peoples Auxiliaries	93	....	14	2	51.40	4.25	1.80	78.40	.....	1.00	.....	135.85	.....	2.35	138.20
Scarritt B. T. S. Mrs. W. T. Jones	....	....	....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	200.00
Grand Total	....	....	....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3124.52

* Subscribers to Young Christian Worker. 2 Junior Divisions added this Year.

DISTRICT SECRETARY'S REPORT.

NEW BERN DISTRICT.	Number of Members.	Subscribers to Voice.	Dues.	Conference Expense Fund.	Retirement Fund.	Scarritt Fund.	Week of Prayer.	Pledge.	Total sent Conference Treasurer.	Special.	Average per Member.	Local.	Total for year.
St. Paul, Young Women	25	6	$ 51.70	$11.25	$ 2.70	$ 2.00	$ 4.75	$ 120.45	$ 192.85	$.....	$ 7.71	$.....	$ 192.85
Mount Olive	24	14	45.00	13.50	1.10	.....	.....	15.50	75.10	.....	3.13	.....	75.10
Snow Hill	20	10	20.20	3.40	.75	.....	7.40	33.75	65.50	.....	3.27	.....	65.50
Kinston	64	15	106.00	20.00	4.00	.....	8.00	210.00	348.00	.....	6.61	75.00	423.00
Morehead City	42	20	83.00	15.00	2.00	.....	.....	108.00	208.00	.....	4.95	.....	208.00
St. Paul	108	36	165.00	16.30	3.90	1.10	10.00	300.00	496.30	.....	4.59	433.15	929.45
Hookerton	17	10	20.00	3.50	1.35	.....	13.36	42.43	80.94	.....	4.76	.....	80.94
LaGrange	20	4	20.65	.....	.....	.....	.....	25.00	45.65	.....	2.23	39.72	85.37
Centenary	112	40	228.10	30.00	5.80	.....	67.00	300.00	641.15	10.25	5.72	249.00	890.15
Trenton	18	5	37.70	.60	.45	.....	6.00	26.45	71.20	.....	3.90	.....	71.20
Stonewall	10	....	10.50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10.50	.....	1.05	.....	10.50
Beaufort	16	5	21.15	.....	.....	.....	.....	8.85	30.00	.....	1.90	.....	30.00
Pollocksville	17	4	21.55	1.50	.95	.....	.....	15.00	40.00	.....	2.35	114.20	154.20
Ocracoke	12	4	15.00	1.00	.....	.....	.....	18.00	34.00	.....	2.83	.....	34.00
Faison	10	3	9.00	.....	.....	.....	5.00	170.00	184.00	.....	18.40	25.00	209.00
Oriental	12	....	7.95	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	7.95	.....	.66	.....	7.95
St. Johns	20	12	30.95	.....	.....	.....	3.50	39.55	74.00	.....	3.70	15.00	89.00
Total	529	188	885.70	116.05	23.00	3.10	125.31	1433.18	2596.39	10.25	.....	951.07	3547.46

DISTRICT SECRETARY'S REPORT.

RALEIGH DISTRICT.	Number of Members.	New Members.	Sub. to Missionary Voice.	Mission Study.	Dues.	Conference Expense Fund.	Pledge.	Retirement and Relief Fund.	Specials.	Scarritt Endowment Fund.	Week of Prayer.	Blanche Fentress Fund.	Deaconess Scholarship.	Cash total for year.	Average per Member.	Total Local Work.
Apex	11	1	4	....	$ 12.85	$ 1.80	$ 10.10	$ .80	$.....	$.....	$.....	$.....	$.....	$ 25.55	$ 2.32	$ .....
Banks Chapel	32	....	13	3	38.60	8.00	69.80	1.60	40.00	4.00	.....	.....	.....	162.00	5.00	.....
Benson	13	....	3	13	23.70	5.00	5.00	1.00	.....	.....	3.50	.....	.....	38.20	2.94	146.67
Cary	14	1	4	....	28.95	5.95	17.93	1.20	.....	.....	3.73	.....	.....	57.56	4.12	25.00
Central	32	6	6	7	50.15	6.60	100.00	1.45	.....	.35	3.61	.....	.....	162.76	5.09	104.00
Clayton	21	1	6	....	23.10	3.35	16.80	.....	.....	.....	6.50	.....	.....	49.75	2.35	184.25
Edenton Street	114	10	14	19	255.45	51.55	150.00	10.10	.....	4.00	23.34	*50.00	.....	**494.44	4.33	5894.77
Elizabeth	7	....	4	....	16.60	3.00	23.90	1.10	.....	.....	5.75	.....	.....	50.35	7.19	.....
Four Oaks	9	3	1	....	14.60	2.50	46.55	2.60	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	66.25	7.36	.....
Franklinton	20	....	14	....	40.30	6.65	367.25	1.80	.....	5.15	31.80	.....	.....	452.95	22.65	.....
Franklinton Young Woman's	24	....	6	24	49.35	9.00	72.35	2.00	.....	4.00	.....	.....	.....	136.70	5.69	.....
Fuquay Springs	16	1	8	....	23.45	3.58	22.40	1.67	.....	2.50	2.00	.....	.....	55.60	3.47	7.50
Kenly	18	1	11	....	43.80	6.50	15.00	1.30	.....	4.00	8.93	.....	.....	79.53	4.42	133.00
Louisburg	52	....	22	38	120.65	26.50	220.50	5.30	260.00	4.00	13.50	.....	.....	650.45	12.16	70.50
Mary Pescud	33	10	16	15	82.55	19.35	121.45	4.15	40.00	5.00	28.70	.....	.....	301.20	9.13	56.10
Oxford	36	....	12	12	67.60	14.93	155.00	2.55	.....	4.00	12.00	.....	.....	256.08	7.11	162.32
Maria Brown Missionary Soc.	22	1	7	22	51.85	9.00	58.52	1.70	.....	3.15	.....	.....	.....	124.22	5.65	3.50
Plank Chapel	10	....	4	....	19.25	4.00	27.00	.65	.....	.....	1.00	.....	.....	51.90	5.19	.....
Salem	17	3	2	....	22.25	.....	12.00	.....	.....	.....	.25	.....	.....	34.50	2.03	.....
Selma	25	....	14	19	56.15	2.75	25.00	.70	.....	4.00	15.00	.....	.....	103.60	4.15	81.12
Smithfield	44	5	27	8	112.75	10.85	67.20	1.70	.....	4.00	20.00	.....	5.00	221.50	5.03	602.37
Shady Grove (new)	....	....	....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Totals	560	43	198	180	1153.95	200.86	1603.75	43.37	340.00	48.75	179.61	50.00	5.00	3625.29	6.47	7471.10
12 Baby Divisions *	168	....	....	....	9.15	.....	18.89	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	28.04	.....	.....
17 Junior Divisions	513	....	....	....	39.20	.....	211.56	.....	40.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	290.76	.....	.....
9 Young Peoples Auxiliaries	152	....	12	4	86.71	12.99	120.73	5.00	.....	.....	12.57	.....	.....	244.11	.....	.....
Total for District	....	....	....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4188.20	.....	7471.10

DISTRICT SECRETARY'S REPORT.

ROCKINGHAM DISTRICT.	Mission Study.	Number Members.	Sub. to Missionary Voice.	Dues.	Conference Expense Fund.	Retirement Fund.	Pledge.	Week of Prayer.	Scarritt Bible Training School.	Scholarships.	Total.
Aberdeen	....	20	6	$ 47.40	$11.85	$.....	$ 90.75	$48.25	$.....	$.....	$ 198.25
Biscoe	....	15	6	17.45	3.00	.....	76.55	.....	.....	.....	97.00
Centenary	....	14	4	2.25	1.45	.....	1.00	.....	.....	.....	5.00
Elizabethtown	....	8	5	19.35	.....	.....	31.65	5.00	.75	.....	56.75
Fairmont	....	35	9	54.70	5.01	3.39	61.00	14.65	2.35	.....	141.10
Gibson	....	10	6	20.80	3.85	1.35	12.00	20.00	.....	.....	58.00
Hamlet	....	20	11	75.95	.....	.....	40.00	3.50	.....	.....	119.45
Laurinburg	....	42	22	96.25	18.50	3.35	542.75	17.75	2.00	.....	680.60
Laurinburg, Young Women	....	26	14	32.23	.....	.....	160.00	.....	.....	40.00	232.23
Lumberton	....	43	15	85.55	3.00	.50	118.00	25.00	.....	.....	232.05
Maxton	8	29	10	61.85	9.85	2.15	75.75	2.80	4.00	.....	156.40
Maxton, Young Women	....	23	5	14.85	.95	.....	49.85	.....	.....	.....	65.65
Mount Gilead	....	30	8	33.45	1.00	.10	26.90	.....	.....	.....	61.45
Raeford	....	25	9	42.90	6.35	.....	58.30	.....	.....	.....	107.55
Red Springs	....	20	11	25.90	4.50	1.00	50.00	5.25	2.00	.....	88.65
Roberdel	....	12	7	13.97	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	13.97
Rockingham	20	70	20	163.90	35.95	10.10	320.05	21.00	4.00	.....	555.00
Rockingham, Young Women	....	37	18	61.00	17.80	2.80	146.75	12.00	4.00	.....	244.35
Rowland	....	20	15	39.08	9.77	.....	16.00	4.25	.....	.....	63.10
Saint Johns	....	24	5	26.20	5.75	1.15	23.70	.....	.70	.....	57.50
Saint Pauls	....	8	2	24.65	.....	.....	34.23	4.85	2.30	.....	66.03
Troy	....	26	10	61.65	5.65	5.95	16.09	.....	.....	.....	89.25
Wadeville	....	4	2	15.75	3.25	.....	20.40	2.35	1.00	.....	42.75
Mrs. Frank Page	....	....	....	.....	.....	.....	375.00	.....	.....	40.00	415.00
Buie	....	....	....	.....	.....	.....	7.34	.....	.....	.....	7.34
Y. W. C. A. Carolina College	....	....	....	.....	.....	.....	5.00	.....	.....	.....	5.00
Total	28	561	220	1037.38	147.48	31.84	2352.97	186.65	23.10	80.00	3859.42
5 Baby Divisions	....	32	....	3.00	.....	.....	1.55	.....	.....	.....	4.55
14 Junior Divisions	....	452	....	164.76	.....	.....	281.30	.....	.....	.....	446.06
9 Young People	2	128	9	59.15	3.80	1.50	84.71	2.70	.....	14.50	186.36
Grand total	....	....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4496.39

DISTRICT SECRETARY'S REPORT.

WARRENTON DISTRICT.	Number Members.	Sub. to Missionary Voice	Mission Study.	Dues.	Conference Expense Fund.	Retirement Fund.	Pledge.	Week of Prayer.	Scarritt Bible Training School.	Blanche Fentress. Special.	Total to Council.	Average per member.	Local Work.	Grand total.
Ahoskie	12	6	8	$26.20	$ 4.25	$ 2.05	$ 9.50	$ 4.50	$.....	$.....	$ 46.50	$ 3.88	$.....	$ 46.50
Arcola	16	4	....	20.30	.....	.....	8.60	.....	.....	.....	28.90	1.80	.....	28.90
Calvary	23	5	....	43.60	.85	6.75	12.50	.70	.....	.....	64.40	2.80	.....	64.40
Coleraine	10	5	5	18.00	2.50	1.20	18.70	1.60	.....	.....	42.00	4.20	23.00	65.00
Conway	19	5	....	29.55	8.50	.....	48.66	22.60	.....	.....	109.31	5.75	22.00	131.31
Enfield	10	4	....	21.25	.....	.....	1.10	.....	.....	.....	22.35	2.24	60.00	82.35
Henderson	52	12	24	93.90	.....	.....	49.20	11.55	.....	.....	154.65	2.97	124.06	278.71
Jackson	20	10	....	43.06	2.00	2.00	100.00	36.90	2.00	.....	185.96	9.30	.....	185.96
Littleton	34	12	18	57.90	5.85	1.80	120.70	12.23	2.45	2.20	203.13	5.97	592.00	795.13
Murfreesboro	16	4	8	32.30	2.00	1.20	34.00	5.00	2.00	.....	76.50	4.78	56.00	132.50
Roanoke Rapids	29	8	10	24.00	.....	.....	13.45	1.00	.....	.....	38.45	1.33	603.30	641.75
Rosemary	26	....	....	4.20	.....	.....	.50	1.75	.....	.....	6.45	.....	.....	6.45
Union	12	1	....	9.70	.....	.....	9.00	.....	.....	.....	18.70	1.56	12.00	30.70
Warrenton	35	15	14	84.00	13.50	3.50	10.00	25.00	4.00	7.76	237.76	6.79	327.32	565.08
Weldon	63	18	15	152.00	12.00	6.00	145.00	18.00	4.00	5.00	342.00	5.43	642.75	984.75
Windsor	21	7	9	42.40	4.20	1.30	13.75	10.00	.75	.....	72.40	3.45	38.30	110.70
Winton	14	3	9	32.00	7.00	1.45	15.45	12.10	4.00	.....	72.00	5.14	9.00	81.00
Norlina	15	3	....	8.50	.....	.....	.....	7.95	.....	.....	16.45	.....	.....	16.45
Bethel	....	....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10.00	10.00	.....	.....	10.00
Shady Grove	....	....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	9.20	9.20	.....	.....	9.20
Total	427	122	120	742.86	62.65	27.25	700.11	170.88	19.20	34.16	1757.11	.....	2509.73	4266.84
6 Young People Auxiliaries	94	6	....	22.34	1.00	2.00	21.75	17.11	1.00	.....	65.80	130.37	.....	196.17
8 Baby Divisions	94	....	....	5.50	.....	.....	34.96	.....	.....	.....	40.46	.....	.....	40.46
18 Junior Divisions	448	55	....	187.85	.....	.....	198.35	.....	.....	.....	386.20	.....	.....	386.20
Grand Total	....	....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2249.57	.....	.....	4889.67

DISTRICT SECRETARY'S REPORT.

WASHINGTON DISTRICT.	Sub to Missionary Voice.	Number Members.	Dues.	Pledge.	Retirement Fund.	Conference Expense Fund.	Scarritt Bible Training School.	Week of Prayer.	Local Work.	Bible Women.	Young People.
Aurora	34	5	$ 34.75	$	$	$	$	$	$ 13.83	$ 75.00	$ .....
Rocky Mount	60	....	129.20	168.45	1.90	7.25	1.90	5.75	226.00	.....	220.10
Spring Hope	18	6	35.45	10.45	.....	.....	.....	4.00	27.05	.....	.....
Wilson	81	20	121.49	117.60	3.15	19.01	.....	39.67	1049.61	.....	.....
Greenville	44	16	36.05	56.05	1.00	4.75	.....	8.90	5.00	.....	.50
Farmville	30	12	46.25	24.20	.55	2.35	.....	10.00	128.36	.....	.....
Fremont	25	11	52.15	23.00	1.30	.50	.....	3.00	6.65	.....	.....
Tarboro	25	10	49.10	7.00	.....	.....	.....	3.25	.....	.....	.....
Fairfield	26	....	24.90	47.50	.....	2.25	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Warrens Chapel	20	6	13.20	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Washington	33	15	51.70	130.45	1.80	7.35	.....	18.00	.....	.....	.....
Swan Quarter	25	3	29.20	2.75	.....	.....	.....	2.80	23.00	.....	.....
Beamons	16	8	15.46	6.35	.....	.....	.....	10.00	12.00	.....	.....
Campbells Creek	37	....	21.85	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3.40	.....	.....
Stantonsburg	9	5	20.90	3.25	.70	.....	.....	6.10	.....	.....	.....
Nashville	17	....	61.95	22.35	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	75.00	.....
Total	....	....	743.60	619.40	10.40	43.46	1.90	111.47	1494.90	150.00	220.60
Grand Total											3405.73

DISTRICT SECRETARY'S REPORT.

WILMINGTON DISTRICT.	Number Members.	New Members.	Sub. to Missionary Voice.	Mission Study.	Dues.	Conference Expense Fund.	Retirement Fund.	Pledge.	Week of Prayer.	Special.	Scarritt Bible Training School.	Amount sent Conference Treasurer.	Average per member.	Local Work.	Totals.
Bolivia	8	....	....	....	$ 5.00	$.....	$.....	$.....	$.....	$.....	$.....	$ 5.00	$ .62	$.....	$ 5.00
Burgaw	19	3	2	15	24.20	.....	.....	.....	.....	5.00	.....	29.20	1.54	8.55	37.75
Charity	12	....	....	....	19.33	.20	.25	10.00	.....	1.00	.....	30.78	2.56	2.25	33.03
Clinton	21	....	....	....	19.47	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	19.47	.92	21.00	40.47
Grace, Wilmington	82	29	27	29	202.70	41.20	7.05	769.14	20.91	25.00	4.00	1070.00	13.05	312.54	1382.54
Jacksonville	22	....	3	....	55.90	.....	1.15	15.00	6.05	.....	2.00	80.10	3.64	.....	80.10
Johnson's Chapel	9	....	....	....	8.00	.....	.....	4.65	.....	.....	.....	12.65	1.40	4.00	16.65
Magnolia	11	....	1	....	5.35	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5.35	.47	.....	5.35
Richlands	22	2	7	14	44.40	9.60	2.00	40.00	12.35	.....	.....	108.35	4.92	54.40	162.75
Rose Hill	17	....	15	6	25.00	4.80	.45	65.00	6.00	5.00	.....	106.25	6.25	453.47	559.72
Southport	58	21	10	....	36.15	9.70	2.40	35.95	6.00	10.00	4.00	104.20	2.74	46.92	151.12
Trinity, Magnolia Circuit	18	4	1	....	15.25	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15.25	.85	.....	15.25
Trinity, Wilmington	26	26	4	10	31.60	5.00	2.00	.....	8.80	19.50	.85	67.75	2.60	60.00	127.75
Wallace	28	3	11	....	47.90	8.30	1.40	53.30	.....	10.00	1.50	122.40	4.37	130.83	253.23
Whiteville	25	5	12	....	60.15	13.50	.....	16.00	9.50	.....	.....	99.15	3.96	112.05	211.20
Wilmington, 5th Avenue	30	1	37	12	68.15	13.00	2.60	75.00	3.00	2.50	.....	164.25	5.47	144.60	308.85
Wil. Y. W., 5th Avenue	15	....	15	....	32.00	5.75	.....	56.20	.....	3.00	.....	96.95	6.46	.....	96.95
Mrs. B. A. Robinson	....	....	....	....	.....	.....	.....	5.00	.....	.....	.....	5.00	.....	.....	5.00
Totals	353	94	135	86	700.55	111.05	19.30	1145.24	72.61	81.00	12.35	2141.10	.....	1350.61	3492.71
4 Baby Divisions	60	....	....	....	1.75	.....	.....	13.99	.....	.....	.....	15.74	.....	.....	15.74
10 Junior Divisions	328	....	....	....	85.47	.....	.....	71.71	.....	.....	.....	158.18	.....	.....	158.18
4 Young Peoples Aux.	97	....	....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	60.05	.....	.....	60.05

CONSTITUTION OF CONFERENCE SOCIETIES.

1. In each Annual Conference there shall be organized a Conference Society auxiliary to the Woman's Missionary Council.

2. The object of this society is to plan and direct the woman's missionary work of the Conference.

3. The Conference Society shall consist of one or more delegates from each auxiliary, a district secretary from each district, and the following officers: a president, two vice-presidents, a corresponding secretary, a recording secretary, a treasurer, and superintendents of study and publicity, of social service, and of supplies. These officers shall be elected by ballot at the annual session and shall constitute the executive committee. The president and the corresponding secretary shall be members of the Woman's Missionary Council.

BY-LAWS FOR CONFERENCE SOCIETIES.

1. The executive committee shall transact business in the interim of the annual sessions. Five shall constitute a quorum.

2. Conference officers shall be nominated by a committee composed of a representative from each district, who shall be chosen by the district delegation. This shall not debar the parliamentary privilege of nomination from the floor nor the privilege of balloting for any person not nominated.

3. The district secretaries shall be nominated by a committee composed of the president, the vice-presidents, the corresponding secretary, and the treasurer, and shall be elected by acclamation.

4. Two members of the executive committee of the Conference shall be elected at each annual session as alternates to the Woman's Missionary Council.

5. The president shall preside at all meetings of the Conference Society and of the executive committee and shall actively advance the interests of the work. She shall sign all orders on the treasury.

6. The vice-presidents shall perform the duties of the president in her absence.

7. The first vice-president shall have charge of the young people's work and shall report quarterly to the first vice-president of the Woman's Missionary Council and to the corresponding secretary of the Conference Society.

The second vice-president shall have charge of the children's work and shall report quarterly to the second vice-president of the Woman's Missionary Council and to the corresponding secretary of the Conference Society.

8. The corresponding secretary shall conduct the correspondence of the society and supply the auxiliaries with information and with literature if so ordered by the Conference. She shall promote Christian stewardship and shall use all possible means for the organization of adult, young people's, and children's auxiliaries in every charge of the Conference, and shall report each new organization to the secretary of the Home Base, to whom she shall also make quarterly reports of the work of the Conference by the 15th day of April, July, October and January. She shall make an annual report to the Conference Society and report the preceding session of the Woman's Missionary Council. She shall sign all orders on the treasury.

9. The recording secretary shall give notice of all meetings of the

Conference Society and of the executive committee and keep the minutes of the same on record.

10. The treasurer shall receive all funds of the society, keeping an account with each auxiliary and submitting the same annually to an auditor. She shall disburse the Conference expense funds on the written order of the president and the corresponding secretary. She shall make an annual report to the Conference Society and shall send itemized reports promptly on the 15th day of April, July, October, and January to the treasurer of the Woman's Missionary Council, therewith transmitting such funds as are collected for the general treasury. She shall also send an itemized statement to the Conference corresponding secretary and to the president.

11. The district secretaries shall organize adult, young people's, and children's auxiliaries and use every available means to promote the work of the Woman's Missionary Society in their districts. They shall present a report of their work at the District Conference and shall hold annual meetings in the district, and all-day meetings when ever practicable. They shall conduct the correspondence with auxiliaries and send a quarterly report to the Conference corresponding secretary and a copy of the same to the president of the Conference Society.

12. The superintendent of study and publicity shall promote mission study and Bible study and shall disseminate missionary information through the Church and secular press. She shall report quarterly to the educational secretary.

13. The superintendent of social service shall stimulate and direct the study and investigation of social questions and shall seek to bring about social reforms. She shall report quarterly to the Council superintendent of social service.

14. The superintendent of supplies shall superintend the sending of boxes and needed supplies to ministers of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, and to institutions in the home and foreign fields under the direction of the Council. She shall report quarterly to the Council superintendent of supplies.

15. Conference societies shall not project new work nor respond to special calls for aid unless authorized by the Woman's Missionary Council.

16. The membership funds of all auxiliary societies—adult, young people's, and children's—also funds contributed to make life members, honorary life members, and honorary life patrons, are a part of the general fund which cannot be diverted by the Conference.

17. A Conference expense fund shall be provided by Conference assessment, the basis to be determined by each Conference according to the requirements. In no case shall membership dues or pledge funds be used for Conference expenses.

18. The thank offering during the week of prayer shall be applied to some specific object, to be determined each year by the Woman's Missionary Council in annual session.

19. The Conference Society may make such by-laws as the work demands, provided they do not conflict with those made by the Council.

20. The last half hour of each forenoon during the annual session of the Conference shall be devoted to Bible study.

CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS OF ADULT AUXILIARIES.

CONSTITUTION.

Any number of women may form an Adult Society auxiliary to the Conference Woman's Missionary Society by adopting the following constitution and by-laws and electing the officers herein provided:

1. This society shall be called the Woman's Missionary Society of the ..... Church, auxiliary to ..... Conference Society of the Woman's Missionary Council of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South.

2. The object of this auxiliary shall be to hasten the coming of the kingdom of God throughout the world by enlisting the women, young people, and children in a study of the needs of the world and in active missionary service; by raising funds for the evangelization of mission fields at home and abroad, for the maintenance of the institutions under the care of the Woman's Missionary Council, and for the betterment of civic and social conditions.

3. Any one may become a member of this auxiliary by giving prayer and service and by paying twenty cents per month.

Each member shall be asked to make a voluntary offering for the maintenance and extension of the general work. Such funds shall constitute the pledge of the auxiliary. The dues, pledge, and any other undirected funds shall be prorated by the Council—40 per cent for the home and 60 per cent for the foreign work. Opportunities shall be given for offerings to be directed by individual donors for the support of special work. These special offerings by individuals shall not be prorated.

4. Any one may become a life member of the auxiliary by the payment of $25, an honorary life member by the payment of $100, and an honorary life patron by the payment of $300, provided the money be paid for that special purpose. It shall not be included in the pledge nor in any special assumed by individuals or that has been assigned to the auxiliary. Such membership should be considered as an honor, and should not release the holders from the obligations of active membership.

5. A name may be placed on the memorial roll by the gift of twenty-five dollars for this special purpose.

6. Every auxiliary member shall pay toward the relief and retirement fund and the Conference expense fund.

7. The auxiliary shall carry on local work, which shall consist of the care of the parsonage and the charity work of the church. This work may be done through a committee, the funds to be raised as the auxiliary directs.

8. The officers of the auxiliary shall be a president, two vice-presidents, a corresponding secretary, a recording secretary, a treasurer, an assistant treasurer, and superintendents of study and publicity, of social service, and of supplies. These officers shall constitute the executive committee of the auxiliary.

9. The auxiliary shall hold one or more meetings during the month for the transaction of business and for the study of the work. The first regular monthly meeting of the year shall be devoted to the consideration of plans and financial pledges for the new year and to

the installation of officers. At the last business meeting of the fiscal year the annual election of officers shall be held.

BY-LAWS.

1. The president shall preside at all meetings of the auxiliary and shall actively advance its interests. In her absence one of the vice-presidents shall assume her duties.

2. The first vice-president shall be responsible for the organization of the Young People's Auxiliary and shall develop and direct its work. She shall send reports when required by the first vice-president of the Conference.

The second vice-president shall develop and direct the work of the Children's Auxiliary. She shall send a quarterly report to the second vice-president of the Conference.

3. The corresponding secretary shall conduct the correspondence of the auxiliary and shall promote Christian stewardship. She shall send to the district secretary full reports by the first of January, April, July and October. She shall also send to the district secretary and Conference corresponding secretary the names and addresses of all newly elected officers of the auxiliary. She shall send her books to the district meeting for examination.

4. The recording secretary shall keep a record of the regular and called meetings and see that each meeting is properly announced.

5. The treasurer shall collect all moneys of the auxiliary, keep an account of the same, and make an itemized report monthly to the auxiliary. She shall remit to the Conference treasurer on the first of January, April, July and October, giving an itemized statement of the amount, a duplicate of the same to be furnished the auxiliary corresponding secretary. The books of the treasurer shall be audited annually.

6. The assistant treasurer shall have charge of local funds. She shall make a monthly report to the auxiliary, and she shall furnish the treasurer a quarterly statement to be included in her report. She shall pay out money from the local treasury only upon an order signed by both the president of the auxiliary and the chairman of the local committee.

The auxiliary as a society shall not assume obligation for the assistance or support of outside organizations, such as orphanages, hospitals, travelers' aids, Y. W. C. A., etc.

7. The superintendent of study and publicity shall be responsible for the organization of mission study and Bible study classes and prayer circles and for the dissemination of missionary information through the church and secular press. She shall report quarterly to the Conference superintendent of study and publicity.

8. The superintendent of social service shall stimulate and direct the study and investigation of social questions and shall seek to bring about social reforms. She shall report quarterly to the Conference superintendent of social service.

9. The superintendent of supplies shall superintend the sending of boxes and necessary supplies to ministers of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, and to institutions in the home and foreign fields under the direction of the Council. She shall report each box sent and its value to the Conference superintendent of supplies.

10. The vice-presidents, secretary, treasurer, and superintendents shall make written reports at the regular meetings.

STANDING RULES.

We, the Committee on By-Laws and Standing Rules recommend:

1. That the Treasurers of each Auxiliary shall send all money

and reports to District Secretary of her district and the money and reports of Young People be sent to first Vice-President and money and reports of Junior disivision be sent to second vice-president the first day of the month of each quarter.

2. That for the purpose of securing accuracy, the executive committee of each auxiliary shall hold a meeting immediately before sending the quarterly reports.

3. That each District Secretary shall pledge an earnest effort to hold an annual meeting in her district at which time she shall urge the great importance of organizing new auxiliaries, doing all in her power to develop the district.

4. That the Conference officers and each auxiliary president make every effort to have the week of prayer observed.

CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS FOR YOUNG PEOPLE'S AUXILIARIES.

CONSTITUTION.

1. This auxiliary shall be called the Young People's Society of ..... Church, auxiliary to ..... Conference Society of the Woman's Missionary Council, Methodist Episcopal Church, South.

2. The object of this auxiliary shall be to hasten the coming of the kingdom of God throughout the world by enlisting the young people in active missionary service, by raising funds for the evangelization of Mission fields at home and abroad, for the maintenance of the institutions under the care of the Woman's Missionary Council, and for the betterment of civic and social conditions.

3. Any one between the ages of fourteen and twenty-one may become a member of the auxiliary by giving regularly prayer, service and a stated offering monthly or quarterly. Each member shall be asked to make an offering for the maintenance or extension of such objects of work in the home and foreign fields as are assigned to the young people by the Council. Such funds shall constitute the pledge of the auxiliary.

Membership funds and pledges shall be prorated by the Council treasurer—40 per cent for the home and 60 per cent for the foreign work.

Each member shall be expected to contribute to the retirement and relief fund and to the Conference expense fund.

4. Any one may become a life member of the auxiliary by the payment of $15, provided the money be paid for that special purpose. It shall not be included in the pledge nor in any special assumed by individuals or that has been assigned to the auxiliary.

5. A name may be placed on the memorial fund by the gift of fifteen dollars for this specific purpose.

6. The officers of the auxiliary shall be a president, two vice-presidents, a corresponding secretary, a recording secretary, a treasurer, and the superintendents of study and publicity, of social service, and of supplies.

7. The auxiliary shall hold one or more meetings during the month

for the transaction of business and for the study of the work. At the last meeting of the fiscal year there shall be the annual election of officers. At the following meeting there shall be a full report of the year's work, installation of officers, and consideration of plans for work and financial pledges for the new year.

BY-LAWS.

1. The president shall preside at the meeting of the auxiliary and shall in every way advance its interests. In the absence of the president, one of the vice-presidents shall preside.

2. The first vice-president shall keep in touch with the first vice-president of the Conference and shall report to her quarterly the full scope of the work.

The second vice-president shall assist the second vice-president of the Adult Auxiliary in superintending the Children's Auxiliary.

3. The corresponding secretary shall conduct the correspondence of the auxiliary and shall promote Christian stewardship. She shall report the full scope of the work quarterly to the district secretary, to whom she shall send the names and addresses of the newly elected officers.

4. The recording secretary shall keep a record of the regular and called meetings and shall see that each meeting is properly announced.

5. The treasurer shall collect all funds of the auxiliary, keeping a ledger account of the same, and remit to the Conference treasurer on the first day of January, April, July and October.

6. The superintendent of study and publicity shall be responsible for the organization of mission study and Bible study classes, for prayer circles, and for the dissemination of missionary information through the church and secular press. She shall have charge of subscriptions to the Missionary Voice and the Young Christian Worker. She shall report quarterly on the first day of January, April, July and October to the Conference superintendent of study and publicity.

7. The superintendent of social service shall have charge of social service studies issued by the Council. She shall co-operate wherever possible in the social service movements of her church and community. She shall report quarterly on the first day of January, April, July and October to the Conference superintendent of social service.

8. The superintendent of supplies shall superintend the packing and sending of boxes of supplies to institutions in the home and foreign fields under the direction of the Council. She shall report each box sent and its value to the Conference superintendent of supplies.

CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS FOR CHILDREN'S AUXILIARIES.

CONSTITUTION.

1. This auxiliary shall be called the Children's Society of ..... Church, auxiliary to ..... Conference Society of the Woman's Missionary Council of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South.

2. The object of the auxiliary shall be to hasten the coming of the kingdom of God throughout the world by giving the children of the Church missionary education, training them for Christian service, and by cultivating in them habits of liberal and systematic giving and of daily Bible study and prayer.

3. The Children's Auxiliary shall consist of Baby and Junior Divisions, under the direction of the second vice-president of the Woman's Missionary Auxiliary, whose work shall be correlated with that of the Conference second vice-president. All membership, mite box, and other undirected funds shall be sent through the Conference treasurer, to be prorated by the Council on the basis of 40 per cent. to home and 60 per cent to foreign work.

BABY DIVISION.

1. Any child six years of age or under may become a member of the Baby Division upon the payment of an enrollment fee of 25 cents. Each member of the Baby Division shall be given a certificate of membership and shall be furnished with a mite box for voluntary offerings. The mite boxes shall be opened and their contents sent quarterly by the treasurer of the Junior Division to the Conference treasurer. Where there is no Junior Division through which to report, the second vice-president of the Adult Auxiliary shall send the money of the Baby Division to the Conference treasurer.

2. Any one may become a life member of the Baby Division of the Children's Auxiliary by the payment of $5, provided the money be paid for that specific purpose. It shall not be included in the pledge nor in any special assumed by individuals or that has been assigned to the Baby Division of the Children's Auxiliary.

3. Names of children may be placed on the Memorial Roll by the gift of $10.

4. Special meetings for the members of the Baby Division shall be arranged by the second vice-president of the Adult Auxiliary, at which time inspirational programs shall be presented.

5. Members of the Baby Division, at the age of six years, shall be promoted to the Junior Division and shall be given certificates of promotion.

6. The second vice-president of the Adult Auxiliary shall have charge of the Baby Division.

JUNIOR DIVISION.

1. Any child between the ages of six and fourteen may become a member of the Junior Division of the Children's Auxiliary by giving regularly prayer, service, and a stated monthly offering to missions. Each member of the Junior Division shall be furnished with a mite box for voluntary offerings. Mite boxes shall be opened quarterly, and the contents, with all other offerings, shall be sent to the Conference treasurer.

2. Any one may become a life member of the Junior Division of

the Children's Auxiliary by the payment of $10, provided the money be paid for that special purpose. It shall not be included in the pledge nor in any special assumed by individuals or that has been assigned to the Junior Division of the Children's Auxiliary.

3. Names of children may be placed on the Memorial Roll by the gift of $10.

4. The officers of the Junior Division shall be a president, two vice-presidents, a corresponding secretary, a recording secretary, a treasurer, and superintendents of study and publicity and of social service. These officers, with the second vice-president of the Adult Auxiliary, shall hold a meeting of the committee of the Children's Auxiliary.

5. The Junior Division shall meet at least twice a month to transact necessary business and to follow the lines of study arranged by the Woman's Missionary Council, for which programs shall be furnished. At the close of each quarter the second vice-president of the Adult Auxiliary shall hold a meeting of the executive committee of the Junior Division to see that the work of the quarter is correctly and promptly reported to the proper officers. At the last meeting of the fiscal year there shall be the election of officers. The first regular monthly meeting of the year shall be devoted to making plans and financial pledges for the new year's work.

BY-LAWS.

1. The president shall preside at the meeting of the auxiliary and in every way advance its interests. In the absence of the president, one of the vice-presidents shall preside.

2. The first vice-president shall assist in the work of the Baby Division. The second vice-president shall be agent for the Young Christian Worker.

3. The corresponding secretary shall conduct the correspondence of the auxiliary and promote Christian stewardship and shall report quarterly to the district secretary. The corresponding secretary shall send the names and addresses of all newly elected officers to the district secretary.

4. The recording secretary shall keep a record of the regular and called meetings of the auxiliary and shall see that each meeting is properly announced.

5. The treasurer shall collect all funds of the auxiliary, keeping a ledger account of the same, and shall remit to the Conference treasurer quarterly. The treasurer's books shall be audited annually.

6. The superintendent of study and publicity shall assist in organizing and developing mission study and Bible study classes and shall send items of missionary news to the Young Christian Worker and local papers.

7. The superintendent of social service shall assist in directing the children in carrying out such lines of social service study and activity as are sent out by the Council.

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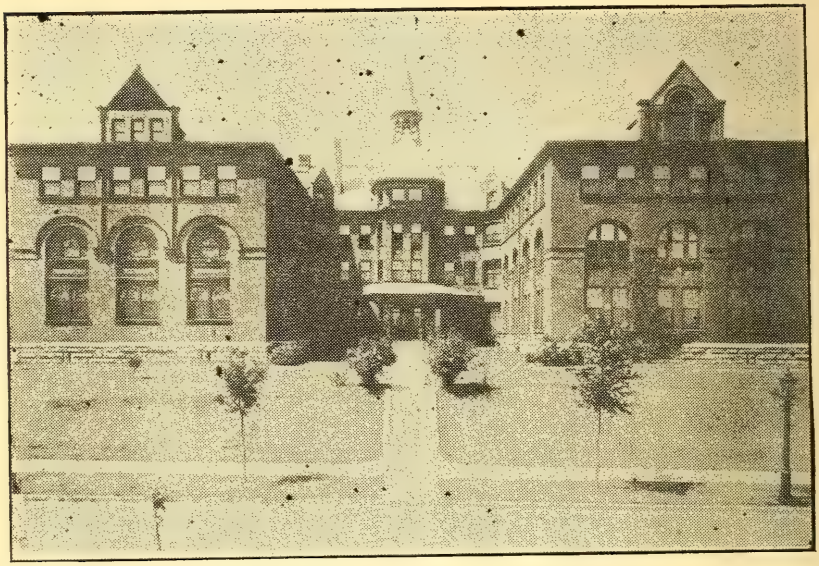

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WEDNESDAY—MORNING SESSION.

The Woman's Missionary Society of the North Carolina Conference, convened in its sixth annual session in Edenton Street Church, Raleigh, Wednesday morning, April 17th, 1918, at ten o'clock, Miss Elizabeth Lamb, President, presiding.

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper was administered by Rev. J. E. Underwood, Presiding Elder of the Raleigh District, assisted by Rev. M. Bradshaw, Pastor of Edenton Street Church, Raleigh, Rev. J. E. Potter, of Jenkins Memorial Church, Raleigh, and Rev. D. N. Caveness, of Central Church, Raleigh.

Conference hymn No. 415 was sung. The delegates were seated according to their respective districts. The roll was called and the following officers and delegates were present:

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Resolutions—Mrs. A. M. Gates, Mrs. E. L. Hart, Mrs. M. H. Shepherd.

The Minutes of the ad-interim Executive meetings were read.

Miss Elizabeth Lamb deeply impressed the Conference with the President's Message. The N. C. Conference rejoices in the fact, that it stands second among the Conferences, of the Woman's Missionary Council, for the pledge of 1917. (Officers report No. 1.)

Mrs. Harvey Boney gave the report of the Corresponding Secretary. (Officers report No. 4.)

In adopting the reports of the President and Corresponding Secretary the Conference gave a rising vote of thanks to the splendid work of these two officers.

Mrs. N. E. Edgerton read the Treasurer's report. The pledge of $15,000 was paid for the first time and the Treasurer's report proved to be the best in our history—the grand total being $40,993.49. Report adopted. (Officers report No. 5.) A rising vote of thanks was given to Mrs. Edgerton

for the very efficient service which she has given as Treasurer for ten years. The Conference heard her resignation with much regret.

Mrs. W. H. Speight read the report of Mrs. Walter Patten, Social Service Superintendent. Report adopted. (Officers report No. 6.)

Mrs. Edgar L. Hart gave the report of the Superintendent of Literature. There was some discussion on the importance of using wisely, the literature sent out by the General Office.

Mrs. Ida T. Wilkins, Superintendent of Supplies, read her report. Report adopted. (Officers report No. 8.)

On motion of Mrs. N. H. D. Wilson, the Secretary was instructed to send telegrams of loving greetings to Mrs. L. M. Hendren (Aunt Lizzie), of New Bern; Mrs. R. A. Willis (President Emerita) of Elizabeth City; Mrs. R. B. John, of Maxton; Mrs. Walter Patten, of Greenville, and Miss Mary Pescud, of New York City.

Mrs. V. Royster, Editor of Advocate Page, read her report. Report adopted. (Officers' reports No. 9.)

Mrs. W. N. Jones, President of the Baptist Missionary Union of North Carolina, was introduced to the Conference. Her message of love and fellowship was much enjoyed and appreciated.

Mrs. Werns and Mrs. Pickens, of the Western N. C. Conference, Deaconess Edith Fuess, at present Student Secretary of the W. M. Council; Miss Ruth Blanks, Corresponding Secretary of the Virginia Conference; Miss Nina Troy, of Virginia School, Huchow, China, and "Uncle Betts" known and loved by all N. C. Methodists, were introduced to the Conference.

The following invitation was much appreciated by the Conference.

Miss Elizabeth Lamb, Raleigh, N. C.

My dear Miss Lamb: I wish to extend a cordial invitation to delegates, visitors and hostesses to attend a reception to be given by The Methodist Orphanage Thursday afternoon at four thirty o'clock. Let me urge that every one accept the invitation as we shall consider it a great joy and privilege to have our staunch friends with us on this occasion. May the coming of Christ's Kingdom be hastened by this Annual Meeting of your Conference.

Yours sincerely,
A. S. BARNES.

Following the announcements the Conference adjourned for

the Devotional hour, conducted by Miss Emma Tucker, Evangelistic Bible Reader.

A vocal solo by Mrs. Charlie Gulley, of Clayton, was greatly enjoyed.

Hymn No. 408 was sung. Miss Tucker led the Conference in fervent prayer. "I am the vine, ye are the branches" was the subject of Miss Tucker's message. And the new thought connected with this was that fruit is only found on the new branches. That looking to Jesus would save us from all weakness was the inspiring and comforting thought of her message. Miss Tucker's presence in the N. C. Conference was indeed a profound benediction. Mrs. N. H. D. Wilson led the Conference in closing prayer.

WEDNESDAY—AFTERNOON SESSION.

Devotional services conducted by Mrs. T. A. Person, Hymn No. 107 was sung. Righteousness was the subject of Mrs. Person's message. "Faith of Our Fathers," was sung. Prayer was led by Mrs. Person.

Conference was called to order by the President, Miss Lamb. Minutes of the morning session were read and approved.

The Conference was led in special prayer, by Mrs. F. B. McKinnie, for the representatives of the N. C. Conference on the Foreign Field.

Mrs. N. H. D. Wilson, 1st Vice-President, gave the report of the Children's Work. Report adopted. (Officers' Reports No. 3.) The Junior Division of the N. C. Conference has led the children of Southern Methodism for the last four years in the amount of money raised per capita. For 1917 the "Bright Jewels" of Centenary Church, New Bern, won the Chinese Banner for having the best financial report. The "Bright Jewels" of Franklinton, won the Korean Banner for having given the largest amount per capita. The Cuban Banner for having had the largest increase in membership, was not awarded.

Miss Elizabeth Briggs, Lady Manager, for the Children's Work, in the Baptist Missionary Union of N. C., was introduced to the Conference. Her words of greeting were very gratifying to all lovers of Children's Work.

The remainder of the afternoon session was given especially to the Children. America was sung. "Uncle Betts" led in special prayer that God would bless the children. Representatives from the Methodist Orphanage, from the State Blind Institute and many other Raleigh children filled the auditorium to hear Miss Nina Troy tell of her life in China. Miss Troy represents the Western N. C. Conference, in Virginia School, of Huchow. It may be more interesting to remember that Miss Troy is a granddaughter of "Aunt Bumpass", a leader among those leaders of Woman's early Missionary work and the Editor of the first Methodist paper in North Carolina. Miss Troy intensely interested her many hearers as she showed the children the attractive Chinese curios and told of her happy life among the boys and girls of China.

Miss Loo Sung Woo, of Louisburg College, won the love of the Conference as she told something of her own country.

The children were dismissed with prayer led by Miss Lamb.

THURSDAY—MORNING SESSION.

Devotional service conducted by Miss Amma Graham. Hymn No. 349 was sung. First eight verses of the twelfth chapter of Romans was the Scripture lesson read. That we should present ourselves as a living sacrifice was the theme of Miss Graham's message.

Conference called to order. President, Miss Elizabeth Lamb in the chair. Minutes of preceding session read and approved.

The following telegram was read to the Conference:

New Bern, N. C., 3:15 p. m., April 17, 1918.
Woman's Missionary Society Conference,
Edenton Street Church, Raleigh, N. C.
Thoughts and prayers with you. **First Corinthians, fifteen, fifty-eight.**
L. M. HENDREN.

Announcement was made that Mrs. Catherine E. Zimmerman, of Elizabeth City, had bequeathed in her will $1,000 for the work of the Woman's Missionary Society. Mrs. N. E. Edgerton led the Conference in prayer that God would especially direct this gift.

Souvenir post cards of Edenton Street Church were presented to the Conference by Mr. E. F. Pescud, of Raleigh, a brother of our own Miss Mary Pescud. Mr. Pescud's kind thought of the Conference was much appreciated.

Mrs. W. W. Peele, Secretary, gave the report of the Durham District. (District Secretaries report No. 1.)

Mrs. A. M. Gates, of Memorial Church, told of some of the weak points in the Durham District and how they might be made strong. The earnest, decisive, enthusiastic, plea which Mrs. Gates made for broader information in our Auxiliary meetings was of great inspiration to every one present.

Mrs. J. N. Winslow, Seretary, gave the report of the Elizabeth City District. (District Secretaries report No. 2.) Several delegates from this district told of their work.

Mrs. J. R. Butler, Secretary of the Fayetteville District, gave her report. (District Secretaries report No. 3.)

Mrs. Fred R. Mintz read the report of the New Bern District. (District Secretaries report No. 4.)

Miss Vara Herring, Secretary of the Raleigh District, gave her report. (District Secretaries report No. 5.)

Mrs. Allen Powers, Secretary, reported the Work of the Rockingham District. (District Secretaries report No. 6.)

The Warrenton District was reported by Miss Amma Graham, Secretary. (District Secretaries report No. 7.)

The work of the Washington District was reported by the Secretary, Mrs. Wiley Brown. (District Secretaries report No. 8.)

Mrs. C. H. Fore, Secretary, gave the report of the Wilmington District. (Secretaries report No. 9.)

In adopting the reports of the District Secretaries the Conference was delighted to give a rising vote of thanks to the nine faithful, efficient women who have wrought such a splendid year's work in the North Carolina Conference. Miss Lamb very sincerely thanked the District Secretaries for their untiring interest and valuable assistance.

Mrs. O'Kelley, of the first Baptist Church, Raleigh; Rev. Mr. Hinson, of Clayton; Rev. C. P. Jerome, of Kenly; Rev. W. D. Phipps, of Spring Hope, were introduced to the Conference. Special emphasis was attracted to the Poster Room, which contained the charts for the nine Districts and many interesting and beautiful posters from the Auxiliaries.

Mrs. Thomas W. Bickett was an honored visitor and strengthened the Conference with her words of encouragement.

The Conference accepted with much pleasure, Mrs. Bickett's invitation to the Governor's mansion, at six o'clock on Friday evening.

The announcements were made. The Conference adjourned for the noon devotional hour conducted by Miss Tucker.

"My Soul Be On Thy Guard" was sung. Prayer was led by Miss Tucker. From God's Word on Prayer she brought the N. C. Conference another message of strength and comfort. All of those who heard her were reminded to believe that we should expect only the great and mighty things from God.

THURSDAY—AFTERNOON SESSION.

Devotional service was conducted by Mrs. Emma Hunter. Hymns No 415 and No. 388 were sung. The 23rd Psalm was repeated in concert by the Conference. That the Church should keep the home fires burning, while the young men are away in the service of their Country and of humanity was the earnest plea which Mrs. Hunter brought to the Conference.

The President, Miss Lamb, called the Conference to order. Minutes of the morning session were read and approved. Mrs. H. J. Boney, Corresponding Secretary, read a very interesting and helpful report of the eighth annual session of the Woman's Missionary Council.

Miss Lucy Foreman, of Nashville, Tenn., Publicity Agent of the Centenary of Methodist Missions, was introduced to the Conference. Literature in interest of this Movement was distributed.

Mrs. T. A. Person, Superintendent, made the report for Mission Study and Publicity. Report adopted. (Officers reports No. 7.)

Miss Lillie Duke, 1st Vice-President, gave the report of the Young People's work. Report adopted. (Officers report No. 2.)

Miss Loo Sung Woo told the Conference what Christianity had done for her own life and for China. The presence of Miss Woo has meant much to the Conference and because of her the N. C. Conference will love and give and pray more for China.

The following song dedicated to the Woman's Missionary

Council, was sung by the Conference, led by Mrs. Edgar M. Hall, of Raleigh.

In this day of struggle we must watch and pray;
Let's enlist for Jesus, do our bit today.
Thou who are our Father, show us Thy great plan,
Help us all to forward the brotherhood of man.

Oh, we'll take the world for Christ,
Take the world for Christ—
The whole world, each and every nation.
We'll take the world for Christ,
Take the world for Christ,
Let's take it in this generation.

(Words and Music by Rosa Lee Gant.)

Miss Ruth Blanks, of the Virginia Conference, told the Conference what the Woman's Missionary Society should mean to us, particularly as individuals.

The following telegrams were read to the Conference:

Maxton, N. C., April 17, 1918.

Miss Elizabeth Lamb,
Woman's Missionary Conference, Raleigh, N. C.

Much longing is mine to be with you. Nearer duties hold while I make prayer for you and the work. According to promise I send you three of the Missionary workers that are in the making, at Carolina College. God guide the Conference in the best way.

MRS. R. B. JOHN.

Greenville, N. C., 1:30 P. M., April 18, 1918.

Woman's Missionary Society, Edenton Street Church,
Raleigh, N. C.

Sincere thanks for cheery message. Read John Four 35 to 36.

SARAH K. PATTEN.

After the announcements were made the Conference adjourned to attend a reception tendered the Conference by the Methodist Orphanage.

FRIDAY—MORNING SESSION.

Devotional service was conducted by Mrs. Fred R. Mintz. Hymn No. 654 was sung. Part of the 7th chapter of Exodus was the Scripture lesson read. There was silent prayer by the Conference, which was concluded by Miss Cora Thompson.

Conference was called to order by the President. Minutes of the preceding session were read and approved.

Mrs. B. B. Adams, Mrs. N. E. Edgerton, Miss Amma Graham, Mrs. A. M. Gates were appointed tellers for the election of officers. 104 official delegates were counted as entitled to vote in this election of the Conference Officers. Miss Ruth Blanks was called to the Chair. Miss Emma Tucker led in fervent prayer, that God's will might lead the N. C. Conference in the election of its officers.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

President—Miss Elizabeth Lamb.
1st Vice-President—Miss Lillie Duke.
2nd Vice-President—Mrs. N. H. D. Wilson.
Corresponding Secretary—Mrs. Harvey Boney.
Recording Secretary—Miss May Edla Smith.
Treasurer—Mrs. E. B. McKinnie.
Supt. Social Service—Mrs. Walter Patten.
Supt. Mission Study and Publicity—Mrs. T. A. Person.
Supt. of Supplies—Mrs. Ida T. Wilkins.
Supt. of Literature—Mrs. Edgar L. Hart.
Editor of Advocate Page—Mrs. V. Royster.

By vote of the Conference it was decided to hold the next annual session of the Conference, during the Spring months, rather than in January.

An invitation to hold the next annual session in Rockingham was extended by Mrs. John H. Hall. This invitation was gladly accepted.

Mrs. Fred Woodard, Mrs. N. E. Edgerton, and Mrs. B. B. Adams were named as committee on By-Laws, to report at the next Conference session.

Following the announcements the Conference adjourned for the devotional hour conducted by Miss Tucker.

"Jesus calls us o'er the tumult" was sung. "Going There" was the subject of the Bible lesson. Emphasis on perfect obedience to God was taken from the story of Elijah's life. Miss Tucker's farewell message was the special appeal that the Women of the N. C. Conference would go "all the way" to the Brook for their Lord.

Closing the earnest prayer by Miss Tucker, the Conference sang softly and meaningly, "I'll go where You want me to go."

Rev. D. N. Caviness pronounced the benediction.

FRIDAY—AFTERNOON SESSION.

Conference hymn No. 415 was sung. Devotional service conducted by Miss Elizabeth Lamb. "Peace" was the subject of the message.

Conference called to order by the President. Minutes of previous session read and approved.

The following nominations for District Secretaries were made by the Executive Committee.

Durham District—Mrs. W. W. Peele.
Elizabeth City District—Mrs. J. N. Winslow.
Fayetteville District—Mrs. Emma Hunter.
New Bern District—Mrs. Fred R. Mintz.
Rockingham District—Mrs. J. Allen Powers.
Raleigh District—Miss Vara Herring.
Washington District—Mrs. Wiley Brown.
Warrenton District—Miss Amma Graham.
Wilmington District—Mrs. C. H. Fore.

The report was accepted by acclamation.

Mrs. F. B. McKinnie read the report of the Committee on Finance. Report adopted. (Committee reports No. 1.)

Mrs. M. T. Plyler read the report of the Committee on Extension of Work. Report adopted. (Committee reports No. 4.)

Mrs. W. A. Felton read the report of Committee on Mission Study and Publicity. Report adopted. (Committee reports No. 5.)

Mrs. J. E. Stevick read the report of the Social Service Committee. Report adopted. (Committee reports No. 6.)

Mrs. M. H. Shepherd read the report for Committee on Resolutions. This report was adopted by a hearty rising vote.

Miss Cora Smith read the report on Young People's Work. Report adopted. (Committee reports No. 2.)

Mrs. A. M. Newsome read the report on Children's Work. Report adopted. (Committee reports No. 3.)

On recommendation of the Committee on Memoirs Mrs. H. C. Spiers, Mrs. J. M. Rhodes and Mrs. F. D. Swindell were named as the Memoir Committee for the Conference year.

The District Secretaries made the following pledges for the year:

Durham District	$1,200.00
Elizabeth City District	1,400.00
Fayetteville District	700.00
New Bern District	1,600.45

Raleigh District	2,200.00
Rockingham District	2,500.00
Warrenton District	1,000.00
Washington District	900.00
Wilmington District	1,200.50

Miss Lucy Foreman told the Conference that the greatest responsibility of the Centenary Movement rested on the Women in their organized work for Missions. There being no other business the North Carolina Confeernce adjourned its sixth annual session.

The Memorial Service was conducted by Mrs. J. M. Rhodes. "It is not death to die," was sung. "Uncle Betts" led the prayer. The 14th chapter of St. John, the 46th and 90th Psalms were repeated in concert. The thought of Mrs. Rhodes in introducing the service was deeply impressive and comforting. Deaconess Williams paid a loving tribute to that sainted Woman of Southern Methodism, Mrs. J. R. Cobb. Mrs. N. H. D. Wilson spoke in appreciation of Miss Helen Richardson. Mrs. Ida Wilkins told something of the beautiful life of Mrs. Hargrove. Miss Graham spoke of the splendid service rendered by Miss Maude Bonnell. Especial tributes were read to the memory of Mrs. Kate C. Black, of Littleton and Mrs. Alice Craft of Grace Church, Wilmington.

As the names of all those who had passed into eternal life during the year were called, many expressions of loving appreciation were given by members of the Conference.

Rev. L. S. Massey led the Conference in closing prayer.

EVENING SERVICES.

TUESDAY EVENING.

The devotional service was conducted by Rev. J. E. Underwood, Presiding Elder of the Raleigh District. Beautiful music by the choir of Edenton Street Church was greatly enjoyed.

"Christian Stewardship and Spiritual Resources" was the subject which Miss Tucker brought for the consideration of the large congregation, which greeted her. Miss Tucker emphasized the necessity of serving God with the body, the hands, the tongue and with time, money and will. "If children were taught," she said, "that their bodies are God's temples and belong to Him, there would be stronger men and women, with less of disease and suffering." "I haven't time" is no longer an excuse for the lack of service to God. The demands of war and the wonderful work being accomplished by the Red Cross demonstrates the value of time and how it may be preserved."

Miss Tucker came in person to the North Carolina Conference for the first time, but her works and her words had preceded her, so every one was glad to come in direct touch with a spirit so near akin to her Master. She has a national reputation as an Evangelistic Bible Reader and her words of admonition and comfort were a great source of strength to the Conference.

WEDNESDAY EVENING.

Devotional service was conducted by Deaconess Fuess, at present Student Secretary of the Woman's Missionary Council.

The Junior Choir of Edenton Street Church gave a patriotic song service. The national anthems of Great Britain, France, Italy, Japan and the "Star Spangled Banner" were impressively and beautifully sung while the congregation stood in thoughtful reverence.

Miss Nina Troy of Huchow, China,told in her inimitable

manner some of the incidents of her work and of the great influence the Missionaries are spreading among the Chinese people. She referred to the five Station Schools located in the principal cities. Miss Troy asked the conference that they would pray unceasingly that God would strengthen the hands of the Missionaries, that they might continue their glorious work among these people.

Miss Ruth Blanks, Corresponding Secretary of the Virginia Conference, made the address of the evening on "Africa". She told her audience that it was difficult to understand why more missionaries had not chosen Africa as the field for their labors. Miss Blanks painted an alluring picture of the great possibilities of Africa's Commercial life and of the wonderful geographical resources. After describing the effect of Mission work among the natives, she made an earnest appeal for more missionaries to enlighten the thousands of people there who are cursed by a bondage of ignorance. "If you cannot go into the world to preach the gospel, then send some one in your place" is but the message which Miss Blanks would love to have hurled through the bounds of the North Carolina Conference.

The earnest, effective appeal which Miss Blanks made for Africa caused a deep impression. We are indeed grateful to our sister Conference for the splendid service which her gifted daughter has given to the North Carolina Conference.

THURSDAY EVENING.

Devotional service was conducted by Mrs. J. M. Rhodes.

Special music by the student choir from the State Institution for the Blind, was by no means a secondary feature of the Thursday evening program. The two anthems, "The Lord is my light" and "Still with Thee" were so much enjoyed.

Miss Lucy Foreman, associated with the Publicity Work, for the Centenary of Methodist Missions, spoke interestingly and inspiringly of the $35,000,000, as a minimum which Southern Methodism will give in celebration of this anniversary. Miss Foreman traced the history of Methodism from the formation of the first Missionary Society in 1819 until the outbreak of the World War.

"If the world has an antidote for war," declared Miss Foreman, "it is evangelism—the only thing which will make the world a safe place to live in." She discussed briefly the survey of all the Mission fields which led to the gigantic financial undertaking. She urged her hearers not to think of themselves as individuals, of their home communities but as citizens of the world. God help us to realize what it means to be world citizens and what is the Fatherhood of God and the Brotherhood of Man."

Intercessory pledge cards were distributed and members of the Conference were asked to pray daily for the success of the Centenary Movement.

Miss Foreman is a speaker of telling force and the North Carolina Conference is glad that she brought the great Centenary news to us.

Memoirs

In Memoriam.

MRS. J. B. COBB
MISS HELEN LEE RICHARDSON
MRS. R. K. HARGROVE
MISS MAUD BONNELL
Council Members.

MRS. KATE P. BLACK
Littleton Auxiliary.

MRS. ALICE CRAFT
Grace Auxiliary, Wilmington.

MISS MARGARET BLANCHARD
MRS. J. B. HATHAWAY
Zion Auxiliary, Gates Co.

MRS. R. B. THATCH
Hertford Auxiliary.

MRS. R. C. CRAVEN
First Church, Rocky Mount.

MRS. FLORA J. COX
MRS. W. D. BAKER
MRS. SALLIE GURLEY
MRS. J. M. BENSON
Goldsboro.

MRS. MOLLIE F. HANCOCK
MRS. TAYLOR DUNN
MRS. CARRIE HILL
MRS. K. R. JONES
Centenary Auxiliary, New Bern.

MRS. B. H. CREEF
MRS. DELIA EVANS
Manteo Auxiliary.

MISS BEATRICE SMITH
Kittrell Auxiliary, Gates County.

MRS. EBBIE DEAN CREWS
Shady Grove Auxiliary, Oxford Circuit.

MRS. SUSAN C. HUNT
Salem Auxiliary, Oxford Circuit.

MRS. AUGUSTA CLARK
Pantego.

MRS. SARAH A. CHAFFIN
Jonesboro Auxiliary.

MRS. ELIZA CARR
MRS. A. M. OMSTEAD
Memorial Auxiliary, Durham.

MRS. ROSANA HUMBER
Carthage Auxiliary.

MRS. Z. W. LYON
Oxford Auxiliary.

MRS. MAGGIE MONTGOMERY MATHEWS
Winton Auxiliary.

MRS. O. D. MAKEPEACE
Sanford Auxiliary.

MRS. L. P. SCOGGIN
Warrenton Auxiliary.

MRS. J. H. CORDON
Washington Auxiliary.

MRS. E. F. YOUNG
Dunn Auxiliary.

MRS. WALTER WATSON
MRS. J. L. WILLIAMS
MISS PAULINE PERRY
MRS. J. W. DRIVER
MRS. J. L. HARDEE.

OFFICERS' REPORTS.

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE.

[No. 1]

As we listened to reports from the various points touched by representatives of the Woman's Missionary Council and considered the splendid work being done by the women now elicited for missions, the startling challenge of the great Centenary of Methodist Missions program made me conscious of the strength of my faith in the members of the North Carolina Conference.

Among the thirty-nine Conferences reporting ours stood second in amount of pledge paid and our Bright Jewels led the children in gifts per capita—as they have for four years. Deeper than the certainty that the North Carolina Conference will give its full part of the Centenary offering of thirty-five millions of dollars was the realization that the call of the Centenary Commission to "Mobilize the Spiritual Forces!" would find our Conference in the front rank. It is a glorious privilege to have God answer prayer in and through you, and my faith in your prayers is based on the fact that God answers them. This first year of the Centenary is to be given to intercession. Prayer Leagues are to be formed and daily prayer made for definite objects.

If every member of every Auxiliary will sign the prayer league pledge, and work and pray together to enlist the seven-eights of our church members who are now indifferent to missions there is no limit to what God will do for and through us. We are face to face with the world-wide need of spiritual power and God can release that power only as men pray. "According to your faith be it unto you," places a marvelous privilege in our hands, but it also places a fearful responsibility upon us. What are we going to do about the men and the money needed by our Government? Shall we not touch them with faith and say "The Lord hath need" As Christians we cannot fail to respond to every call to help our country. We must pray, work, give or go as we are able, and thus we shall be co-workers with God in redeeming the world from sin.

We are glad that God can teach the "Imagination of the thoughts of the heart" in answer to prayer. (I Chr. 29:18). And that He can touch and will accept the heart that seeks Him, even though the customary ceremonies are not observed, in answer to prayer. (II Chr. 30:17-20). Let us remember Matt. 18:19. The quickest, surest way to reach any heart in camp, on the battlefield, in authority over us, or among the indifferent is by way of God's throne. We realize something of the world's need and we know God's power.

He requires only two things of us—that we **pray** and **believe**. I'm sure that He answers your prayers, and no women in the world have had greater privileges as intercessors, because the present need has never been equaled. As we realize the agony and bitterness and pain in the world let us remember "According to your faith be it unto you," and spend much time before God's throne in Jesus' name.

REPORT OF FIRST VICE-PRESIDENT.

[No. 2]

The Young Peoples' work of the North Carolina Conference has on the whole been very satisfactory. In almost every Auxiliary there are marked improvements, showing that the obligations assigned by

the Council and our own Conference are more definitely understood, and that of course means that we are better prepared for a greater work in 1918.

The following Auxiliaries are given special mention for having reported accurately and promptly each quarter during 1917:

Durham District—Memorial (Durham).
Elizabeth City District—Hertford and Kittrell.
Fayetteville District—Fayetteville and Sanford.
New Bern District—St. Paul's (Goldsboro) and Trenton.
Raleigh District—Cary, Edenton Street (Raleigh), Louisburg, No. 1, Oxford and Plank Chapel.
Rockingham District—Fairmont.
Warrenton District—Arcola.
Washington District—Nashville and Wilson.

Raleigh is the banner district for best reporting and the largest amount of money raised for 1917. For having made the "Standard of Excellence," given by the Council and known as the "Honor Roll", two Auxiliaries, Memorial (Durham) and Sanford are wearing the beautiful "Ribbon Flyers," the prize given by the Council's 1st Vice-President to the Auxiliaries reaching this goal.

Status of the Work.

Number of Young People's Auxiliaries	66
Number of new and re-organized	6
Number of members	850
Subscribers to Missionary Voice	63
Subscribers to Young Christian Workers	23
Number of Auxiliaries observing Week of Prayer	7
Mission Study Classes	16
Auxiliaries reporting four times	16
Auxiliaries reporting once or more	36
Auxiliaries not reporting during the year	12
Bible Study Classes	2

Financial Report.

Membership Offering	$ 526.54
Retirement and Relief Fund	31.35
Pledges	669.04
Week of Prayer	56.37
Scarritt B. T. S	17.25
North Carolina Band Room (Scarritt)	18.00
Conference Expense Fund	64.51
Total sent Conference Treasurer	$1383.06

Local Work.

Amount expended for relief	$ 82.82
Amount expended on Church	28.80
Amount expended on parsonage	12.23
Value of supplies	46.00
Total	$ 169.85
Grand total	$1552.91

MISS LILLIE DUKE,
Conference 1st Vice-President.

REPORT OF THE CONFERENCE SECOND VICE-PRESIDENT.

[No. 3]

Some one has said that the childhood of today is the nation of tomorrow. This being true, it follows necessarily that the Junior Division of the Woman's Missionary Society is of utmost importance. The foundation of our work for the next generation must be laid in our children's training today. Therefore, I beg of you not to neglect this the most vital part of our work.

In spite of the war, high prices, and the severe weather when we were closing the year, 1917 was the very best year we have ever had in every respect. Sixteen new bands were organized. Twenty-one reported observing their day during the week of prayer. Our subscription list for the Young Christian Worker is growing. Many are using our study books, though few report study circles as so many of the children are so small. It pleases me to see how well some of the new bands are giving to the work. I wish I had space to report the work of each band so that the Conference might see just what our Bright Jewels have done during the year. These statistics will be published in full in our minutes. If you will study them you will be proud of your children and of your fine body of Second Vice-Presidents. I want to say here, that I do not think that there is any where a better body of faithful Christian workers than these my co-workers who have made this good report possible.

Centenary Church, New Bern, won the banner for having raised the largest amount of money during the year, $169.97. Franklinton raised the largest amount per member, $6.23, and gets that banner. It has proven so difficult to award justly the banner for the increase in membership that that banner will not be given this year, and in the future the Cuban Flag will be given as the banner for the largest number of subscriptions, new subscriptions and renewals, to the Young Christian Worker.

Our report shows: Baby Divisions, 52; enrolled, 626. Enrollment fees, $50.83; Pledge, $193.69; specials, $80.

Junior Divisions, 117; members 3380; membership fees, $1026.20; Pledge, $1729.53; specials, $75. Total, $3,145.52. Subscribers to Young Christian Worker, 575.

The following bands raised as much as $100: Memorial, Durham, $122.36; Sanford, $100.12; St. Paul's, Goldsboro, $108; Kinston, $120; Centenary, New Bern, $169.97; Franklinton, $121.44; Warrenton District leads in the number of bands, 19. Raleigh District has the largest number of subscriptions to the Young Christian Worker, 129. The Raleigh District seems to lead in general excellence though it is followed closely by the New Bern, and others are not far behind. Smithfield, Oxford, Prospect, Mount Gilead, and Kenly report having fulfilled the requirements and are on the Honor Roll. I feel sure that other bands deserve to be on the Honor Roll but they failed to report. This new year we hope to have a large number on this roll.

In closing permit me to beg the women of the North Carolina Conference (1) to see that one of your very best women is put in charge of the Bright Jewels in each auxiliary; (2) that each member will co-operate with the one whom you choose as Second Vice-President of the Auxiliary, helping her to make a greater success of the children's work; (3) to organize more baby divisions; (4) to see that every home in your church where there is a child gets the Young Christian Worker. Thus you will help us to so train the

children of the Church that the next generation will be ready to go or to send, hastening the day when the kingdoms of this world shall become the kingdoms of our Lord and His Christ.

Respectfully submitted,
MRS. N. H. D. WILSON,
Conference Second Vice-President.

REPORT OF THE CORRESPONDING SECRETARY OF THE N. C. CONFERENCE.

[No. 4]

Even amid the absorbing and distressing conditions incident to the great world war our reports show a hopeful and progressive spirit. Indeed it would seem that the war has caused our hearts to be more loving and tender, purposes more earnest, minds more alert and Christians more willing to spend themselves for their country and for their Master. Many rural societies were prevented from meeting on account of the severe weather in December and this causes our 1st quarters' report of 1918 to bound to a most creditable degree, but, it kept 1917's report from showing the full amount raised.

CHART OF THE WORK REPORTED.

DISTRICTS.	Adult Auxiliaries.	Members.	Young People Auxiliaries.	Members.	Junior Division.	Members.	Baby Division.	Members.	Total Organizations.	Sub-Voice.
Durham	22	532	4	115	10	264	5	45	41	172
Elizabeth City	18	421	5	91	17	571	8	65	48	102
Fayetteville	10	304	2	44	10	253	4	32	26	115
New Bern	16	555	2	63	9	306	5	95	32	155
Raleigh	21	593	8	154	17	464	8	119	54	220
Rockingham	23	532	10	132	13	436	6	53	51	203
Washington	18	518	7	103	13	374	5	95	43	75
Warrenton	22	465	5	64	19	455	6	81	52	142
Wilmington	17	307	7	54	9	259	5	49	33	81
Total	167	4227	50	820	117	3382	52	634	380	1270

Organization.

The net gain in Auxiliaries organized during the year is not all that we hoped and prayed for, but Mrs. Wilson said once in Executive Meeting that: "Our women are a conservative body that move slowly but surely." This has been proven for we are conserving our forces and going forward by degrees. In charges where it is not practical to organize a society, may our faithful District Secretaries promote prayer and reading circles and take a collection.

Finance.

We are again asking for at least 10 per cent increase in study, social service and finance. Can North Carolina Conference which now stands 4th among all the Southern Conferences fail to make this increase?

The Officers.

The District Secretaries of 1917 have evinced a willingness for service and their hearty co-operation and prompt reports have given to the work the joy of accomplishment.

The Superintendents in the various departments have been busy about their Master's business. To Mrs. Royster we are due a vote of thanks. A page of copy to prepare every week under all circumstances is no small task, then, too, we must mention the special edition of the Advocate which received much favorable comment, throughout the bounds of the Conference.

Our unusually efficient Recording Secretary and Treasurer have wrought well and to them the entire conference is grateful.

The work of the Vice-Presidents has gone forward, though the young people were thrust upon the first Vice-President at the close of the 2nd quarter. The forces were immediately rallied and not allowed to retreat.

Again the North Carolina Conference Juniors lead all of the Conferences.

Week of Prayer.

The week of Prayer was observed to a greater extent than ever before. Fayetteville district leading in per cent of observance, as only one Auxiliary failed to contribute this fund. The Home Base Secretary offers to place the name of every district on a Roll of Honor in which 75 per cent of its auxiliaries observe the Week of Prayer. May each of our nine Districts obtain this honor.

Harvest Day.

A larger per cent of our auxiliaries observed Harvest Day this year than ever before. In our Conference meeting of 1917, the representative of the Mary Pescud Auxiliary gave an outline of their Harvest Day program of 1916. A member of Council was so impressed with the material used, that Council officers recommended the same outline to all other conferences for Harvest Day observance. We again look to the Mary Pescud Auxiliary for suggestions along this line.

District Meetings.

Eight District Meetings were held in the Spring and Summer and reports from all were of splendid meetings. The secretary of Warrenton District used the system of Group Meetings, and found it very successful! She stands ready to recommend its use to the other districts. It was your Corresponding Secretary's privilege to attend four district meetings and two group meetings, from all of which she gained much inspiration.

In these meetings as well as in various auxiliary meetings the report of 1917's Council meeting was given.

Conclusion.

As Dr. Durham said "Brooding over in the back grounds of our spirit is the feeling of human movement on the battle field."

The various war calls are pressing, and to these our hearts eagerly respond, but let us be sure it is not to the neglect of our own work. It means a two-fold duty and we MUST MEET IT. "These things ye ought to have done and not to leave the other undone."

The challenge is to do and to give more, and may we challenge the young life of the church for investment of service in Christian

work at home and abroad. J. Campbell White says: "Every man should work in the next ten years as though he were the only man Christ was counting on to carry the Gospel to the world."

May we, the Woman's Missionary Conference, measure up fully to every demand of time, money, prayer—and as we go forth to face the duties and responsibilities of another year, let us make the following verses our creed:

"I will be true, for there are those who trust me;
I will be pure, for there are those who care;
I will be strong, for there is much to suffer;
I will be brave, for there is much to dare;
I will be friend to all—the foe—the friendless;
I will be giving and forget the gift;
I will be humble, for I know my weakness;
I will look up—and laugh and love and lift."

Respectfully submitted,
MRS. HARVEY BONEY,
Corresponding Secretary.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

[No. 5]

		December 31, 1917.
Dues:		
Adult	$ 7,534.44	
Young People	526.54	
Junior Division	1,026.20	
Baby Division	50.83—$	9,138.01
Life Memberships		20.00
Memorial Fund		10.00
Pledge:		
Adult	$ 10,808.80	
Young People	669.04	
Junior Division	1,729.53	
Baby Division	193.96	
School, Reavis, D. Joy Hardie	200.00	
D. Joy Hardie	71.50—$	13,672.83
Scholarships:		
Bettie Vann	$ 40.00	
Clara Martin	40.00	
Lillian Gill	40.00	
Mary Pescud	40.00	
Lucile Williams	40.00	
Della Bobbitt	25.00	
Hortens Rogers	114.85—$	379.85
Deaconess Scholarship		14.66
Bible Women:		
Lou Hill Davis	$ 60.00	
Roxanna Humble	60.00	
Helen Fitts	60.00	
Sallie Smith	60.00	
Fannie Wood Steele	60.00	

Maline Harrell Grant, by Gates County Institute	75.00	
Mrs. Ozakie	93.20	
Miss Haskanas	75.00	
No name by Washington District	75.00—	$ 618.20
Retirement and Relief:		
Adult	$ 265.74	
Young People	31.35—	$ 297.09
Week of Prayer:		
Adult	$ 1,191.99	
Young People	56.37—	$ 1,248.36
Scarrett Endowment:		
Adult	$ 228.23	
Young People	5.30—	$ 233.53
Scarrett Band Room		225.80
Sallie Lou McKimmon		645.35
Blanch Fentress		44.39
Mary Black Hospital (Baby Division)		75.00
Bible Training School (Y. P.)		5.45
War Relief		37.50
Special Foreign Missions		25.00
Special Home Missions		25.00
		$ 26,716.02
Remitted to General Treasurer		26,690.22
Balance Scarrett Band room fund		25.80
Balance brought forward, 1916		814.73
Collection at Wilmington		4.81
Conference Expense Fund:		
Adult	$ 1,102.65	
Young People	64.51—	$ 1,167.14
		$ 2,012.48
Expense for year:		
Printing	$ 157.65	
Conference Officers	1,158.40—	$ 1,316.05
Balance on hand		696.43
Balance on Hand:		
Scarrett Band Room Fund	$ 25.80	
Conference Expense Fund	670.63—	$ 696.43
Summary:		
Remitted Conference Treasurer 1917		$ 27,883.16
Remitted Conference Treasurer 1916		25,414.05
Increase		$ 2,469.11
Local work reported for 1917		$ 13,110.33
Grand total		$ 40,993.49

Respectfully submitted,
MRS. N. E. EDGERTON, Treasurer.

W. H. CALL, Auditor.

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SOCIAL SERVICE.

[No. 6]

In a circular letter just received from Miss Mabel K. Howell, the Council Superintendent of Social Service, we find that she claims that "social service should mean the application of the teaching of Jesus to our collective life" as opposed to the stressing of "individual evangelism". She goes on to say, "There has not been a time quite like our time in the emphasis it places upon the need of a Christian society and the social application of the gospel. What is the meaning of all this war? Men are striving to make the world safe for democracy. What is democracy? It is a form of associated life that men live when they put a true value upon each other individual man, giving him a chance to express himself in government. Who brought the doctrine of individual worth of men into the world? It is the great contribution of Jesus Christ to the world. He is one who put valuation upon individual life. He is one that brought into the world the principles upon which Democracies are built. Yes; this very war is giving us one opportunity to press the claims of Jesus to control in all the collective life of man."

In order to place upon the hearts of the women of the Missionary Society some of these claims of our Master, the Council prepares material for quarterly studies. For 1917, they gave us "Social Legislation," that we might have a more intelligent interest in the laws governing various classes of laborers. For 1918, we have "Sabbath Observance," discussed from different points of view. The purpose of these studies is to give every member of the Missionary Society a keener social consciousness, so that she may be anxious to do all in her power to improve conditions for all less fortunate than she.

But we must also, in local auxiliaries, do the service to individuals which Miss Howell mentions as another duty of the Gospel, "efforts for the salvation of the whole man, body and mind as well as soul." And this soul-expanding service of visiting the sick and strangers; of cleaning up and holding prayer meetings in jails and county homes; of co-operating with other societies to improve health conditions; to secure Traveler's Aids; to make brighter the camp life of soldier boys; to conduct Mothers' Meetings and clubs for negroes, is the one that has occupied many of our auxiliaries this past year. I think it has engaged more than those who reported to me, for of the 218 report blanks sent out for this last quarter, only 27 were returned reporting any interest in social service work. One quarter, as many as 48 reports were returned, but repeated urging and personal visits failed to increase that number. In proportion to their numbers the Bright Jewel Bands sent in a much better report, with 18 as the number of Bands who studied the social service leaflets for 1917. Your Superintendent made trips to two District meetings, and to two union city meetings, to explain the opportunities of this service. The comparative newness of this work must explain the lack of understanding that so many auxiliaries show in using the Social Service pamphlet for the meetings of March, June, September and December, and for the small number of reports returned.

The Council report for 1916 says "We are led to believe that the distribution of social service literature in Conference is imperfect and many auxiliaries fail to get leaflets." This brings us to the recommendation that we change our present plan of having the Conference Superintendent of Social Service send the literature to the

Auxiliary Superintendent of Social Service, and allow her to send it to the President of each auxiliary. Experience seems to teach that it is the President who plans the program for each meeting and who has to see that the other officers send out their reports at the first of each quarter. Unless the Superintendent of Social Service in the auxiliary is a very live and wide-awake woman, she may fail to get the leaflets to the proper persons for use at the third meeting of each quarter and the President will not be sure whether or not that meeting has been arranged for. Forty-eight is a very small proportion of 205 to have used the leaflets which are so carefully prepared and at such an expense.

In looking over the field of reports we find that only 6 of the whole number of auxiliaries sent in reports for all four quarters. By Districts in this respect, Durham and Raleigh tie, with two each, the 5th having come from a Young People's auxiliary in the Fayetteville District, and the sixth from an Adult society in the Washington. Considering the number of auxiliaries reporting one or more quarters, Raleigh leads, with 14; Durham is second, with 11; and Washington is third, with 10.

If we have constantly in mind the importance of being ready to stand on the Christian side of every mooted question, and to relieve suffering in our immediate neighborhood, it will not be a hardship to study these Social Service leaflets or to answer the questions upon the report blanks. Some auxiliaries have sent in splendid reports of visits to the sick and strangers, of clothing children, of holding Mothers' Meetings and of visiting corrective and benevolent institutions. From others have come personal letters showing a fine Christian spirit among our members, so that the work has been interesting and inspiring. May the number of these faithful increase this year, and all follow the example of our Great Leader, who "went about doing good." Respectfully submitted,

SARAH K. PATTEN.

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF MISSION STUDY AND PUBLICITY.

[No. 7]

I am to give you Mission Study and Publicity in fifteen minutes. If some of our talented speakers were before you they could drive home to your hearts and minds the tremendous importance of this branch of our work in less time than that. However, I shall go straight to the point by saying that Missionary Work is,—first, last and always educational. Christianity has many and varied channels through which to express itself. If I were to attempt to name some of them and state their place by rank of importance, I do not know where I should place the Sunday School, the Missionary work, or the Church College, Hospitals, etc. But I do know that Missionary Work does not, and should not occupy second place. If I were to sum up our Missionary work in one word, that word would be Education. For ours is a campaign of education; the spreading of knowledge at home as well as abroad. And as my subject deals with this educational propaganda at home, I shall touch briefly a few vital points,—The first essential, The Primary Department, is the School of Prayer.

The Need of a Deeper Prayer Life.

The greatest need of the missionary movement, is more prayer, **definite, genuine, intelligent** and **intense.** How frequently the missionary prayer is simply a general petition that God may bless the missions, or the heathen. Prayerlessness is sometimes due to pointlessness. How much more effective if we could have prayers for **individuals** by **name;** for native **teachers, preachers, Bible women** and **missionaries;** for the specific problems they are meeting today on the field with their **opportunities** and **needs;** for those who have just heard the **Gospel message;** for those who are seriously considering the Christian life; for those who are in special dangers, temptations and persecutions on the mission field; for the various missionary agencies at home, which are promoting missionary interest. **Special emphasis should be placed upon prayer** by Mission Study classes, and prayer circles should be formed whenever practicable. These prayer circles have been found to be helpful in developing definite and systematic prayer and might well be introduced in the class early in the course. Petitions for the objects above and others, should frequently be made in public. The best way to develop a larger prayer life is for members of the Study Class to begin praying for missions in public. The effect will **soon be evident,** not only in increased appreciation of missionary prayer, but in an actual increase in prayer for missions by those who have not prayed definitely in the past. The next essential

Study and Meditation.

The Mission Study class is not an end in itself, nor is the knowledge of missionary facts and conditions acquired through Mission Study an end. The class and the information resulting therefrom are but the means; the end is a more widespread and **efficient service** in building up the Kingdom of God. If the knowledge secured is unused, it will be more than useless; it will be harmful. **Knowledge is only power when expressed in action.** Every good impulse that is not negotiated results in injury to the individual, as well as to those, who might be benefitted by the action. To know the issues of the home and the foreign fields is to assume responsibility for improving untoward conditions. Some may be called to respond in person; all are called to help in some real and serious way.

Missionary Reading.

There is a widespread opportunity for missionary education through the circulation of good, interesting missionary books. If there is no Missionary Library in the church, start one. This is easily done by a few women forming themselves into a reading circle. Secure a few of the best missionary books and stories and begin their circulation throughout the entire church. The effect will soon be evident. It will be the beginning of new interest on the part of many. The text-books may be circulated and their reading secured by a wide circle. A careful canvass of the church should be made to obtain the names of persons who are willing to read the text-books during the period when the classes are in session, but who cannot for various reasons become members of the class.

Our Periodicals.

The Advocate: How many take it, How many read it? Now, how many of you give of your time and talent to make "The Woman's Page" the best page in the Advocate? It is **your page.** I can find no more fitting words to use than Mrs. Duncan gave us last year, "It is our free telephone exchange," and surely in this day of "high prices," we should appreciate it sufficiently to put our best into it and make the most of the opportunity it gives us for Publicity work. We do commend Mrs. Royster for the valiant service she has rendered, she has given us an excellent page, but we should not leave it all to her, rather let our watchword for 1918 be "Rally to our Leaders."

The Missionary Voice. How many of you take the voice? Stand, thank you. Friends in all seriousness, I want to ask you, if you were sick would you want a doctor to treat you who had not seen a medicine journal in four, or five years? How can we expect to render the best Missionary service, if we neglect the very best means at our disposal? The best cannot stand in the way of any woman, and yet if there are those who say they cannot afford it, then there is only one way open, get up an Ice Cream Supper, or call it what you please, **but keep steadily at it, till the Voice is in the hands of every member of the Auxiliary.**

Why Study Missions?

It is the most important subject in the world.
It is stimulating mentally.
It is necessary to a complete education.
It deepens Spirituality.
It leads to definite service.
It is the one key that will unlock the five doors of **information, interest, prayer, money** and **works.** It is worth while.

Third and last essential, Publicity. We must give out to others of our own knowledge thus acquired. We must use our daily and weekly press to disseminate this knowledge. I have touched briefly on the Advocate, now please let me urge you to use your local papers. Get the best writer in your Auxiliary to report interesting meetings, let the articles be brief, breezy, and to the point. Publish your program before the meeting, and then follow with a write up. Keep the work attractively before the people. And the result will take take care of itself.

Statistical Report.

The old adage "Figures do not lie" may still be very true, but the absence of figures can and does cause misleading statements to go on record.

My report is not full, because so many auxiliaries did not send them in. I want to make special mention of the "Belle Bennett" Young People's Society, of Fayetteville. They are doing splendid work. And the auxiliary at Pelham; they also deserve special mention, having reported four times on time during the year.

Adult.

Number reporting this year	74
Number members enrolled	885

Young People.

Number new mission study classes	7
Number enrolled	161

Juniors.

Number new mission study classes	7
Number enrolled	105
Reading Circles	10
Organized Bible Study	4
Number enrolled	40
Missionary Library	12

General Work.

Number Young People Organized Bible Study	2
Number enrolled	50
Number Auxiliaries sending news to Daily and Weekly papers	29
Number Auxiliaries using Bulletins	72

I had the pleasure of presenting Mission Study and Publicity at the Raleigh District Conference at Smithfield, the Washington District Conference at Farmville. I sent papers on subject to the Warrenton and Fayetteville meetings. The Bulletins have gone out each month. The most encouraging thing is the letters I receive asking for information and such helps as are available.

Respectfully submitted,
MRS. T. A. PERSON, Superintendent.

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SUPPLIES.

[No. 8]

Boxes Sent Preachers.

Trinity Church, Durham, 1 box, value	$ 75.00
Siler City, 1 box value	15.00
Rocky Mount, 1 box value	38.00
Trinity Church, Wilmington, 1 box value	20.00
Grace Church, Wilmington, 1 box value	unknown
Aberdeen sent Brevard 1 box, value	19.00
Fairmont sent Brevard 1 box, value	20.00

There were only ten boxes reported to me that were sent to our Orphanage. I am very sure that many more than this were sent. Suppose they were reported to District Secretaries and the Auxiliaries will have proper credit through them.

I succeeded in securing boxes for all the Preachers who asked help but in some cases this was done with difficulty. Our women are heartily engaged in Red Cross and other war work and could not always respond to my appeals, and there were also other hindrances. I would like to esepecially mention the Society of Aberdeen for their willingness to respond and their promptness in doing so. The boxes that were sent were most gratefully received and afforded much needed help in every case.

Respectfully submitted,
MRS. IDA T. WILKINS, Supt. Supplies.

EDITOR'S REPORT OF ADVOCATE PAGE.

[No. 9]

I find the Woman's Page in the Advocate has been used by all the districts in reporting their work at least as many as four times, some as often as fifteen times but fewer reporting from the Junior Department than from any other. I think all District meetings were reported, some of them very interestingly written up. Through the kindness of the editor we were allowed in November to get out a special edition at a cost of about ten dollars. In order to conserve as much space as possible for missionary items, the addresses and signatures from all reports have been omitted. This may not be best you will have to decide about that.

The copy for the following week must be in the Advocate office Thursday afternoon. I think if this was fully understood the Auxiliaries would understand the cause of the delay in some of their articles.

MRS. V. ROYSTER, Editor.

Committee Reports.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON FINANCE.

[No. 1]

We, your Committee on Finance, recommend—

1st. That the Conference Expense Fund of 50 cents per member for adults, 25 cents per member for Young People, and 10 cents per member for Relief and Retirement fund be collected the first quarter.

2nd. That the Auxiliary President urge the quarterly payment of all dues and specials. Failure to do this forces the Council to borrow money on which it must pay interest.

3rd. That December 1st or near as practicable be observed as Harvest day by each Auxiliary.

4th. That the Treasurers of each Auxiliary shall send all money and reports to district secretary of her district, and the money and reports of young people be sent to first Vice-President, and money and reports of Junior Baby division be sent to 2nd Vice-President, the first day of the month each quarter.

5th. That each district secretary, 1st and 2nd vice-president, shall send all money and reports to Conference Treasurer by the 10th of the month each quarter.

6th. That we pay a pledge of $16,500 above our dues and specials for the support of our missionary work.

7th. That we recommend a prayer league in each auxiliary for its financial growth.

MRS. N. E. EDGERTON, Chairman.
MRS. F. B. McKINNIE, Secretary.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON YOUNG PEOPLE'S WORK.

[No. 2]

We recommend—

1st. That special effort be made during 1918 by Adult 1st Vice-Presidents to get young people interested in Bible study and Mission study, and tactfully to work and pray for volunteers.

2nd. That a young people's hour with the Conference 1st Vice-President be allowed after the first day at the Annual meeting in a separate room for instruction, information, questions, answers, etc.

3rd. Having honorable mention made in the 1st Vice-President's report of all Auxiliaries having active delegates at the annual and district meetings, and also of each Auxiliary sending accurate and prompt reports quarterly.

4th. That the Young People make use of page 8 in the Raleigh Christian Advocate by reporting interesting facts of their work for information and inspiration.

5th. Study the special programs given to young people in the Missionary Voice.

6th. That each Auxiliary make an earnest effort to reach the "Standard of Excellence" for 1918.

7th. We suggest the use of posters and black board along with the religious and secular press as a means of informing and impressing the importance of missionary work.

8th. That one afternoon during the week of prayer be observed by the young people in co-operation with the Adult Auxiliary offering to go for Young People's work.

9th. That one public service be held during the year in co-operation with the pastor that the Church may know what the young people are doing for missions.

10th. Study the Year-Book programs, Japan and the Orientals, the Young People's Special for which we are asked to contribute $3,500 for 1918.

11th. That each member wear the little pin which stands for "Youth, Purity and Eternal Truth."

12th. That in our social service work we undertake practical things for the relief of war conditions, such as Red Cross, knitting and the mailing of good literature, etc.

MISS LILLIE DUKE, Chairman.
MISS CORA SMITH, Secretary.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CHILDREN'S WORK.

[No. 3]

1. That every Auxiliary see that there is a Bright Jewel Band in their church, and select the best woman available for Second Vice-President.

2. That the Bright Jewel Bands be conducted as far as may be possible according to the rules laid down by the Woman's Council.

3. Realizing the need of Missionary Education, we urge that study classes be formed among our larger children and that the smaller ones be taught by the story method.

4. As the Young Christian worker is one of our best means of teaching our children we urge every Auxiliary to help the 2nd Vice-President to put it into every home where there is a child.

5. That each Auxiliary have a Baby Division and thus see that from their earliest infancy our children begin to help win the world for Jesus.

MRS. N. H. D. WILSON, Chairman.
MRS. E. M. SNIPES, Secretary.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON EXTENSION OF WORK.

[No. 4]

Your Committee, believing that all real growth must be intensive as well as extensive, recommend:

1. That a liberal use be made of the literature published concerning the Missionary Centenary.

2. That each auxiliary president provide a program based on the Council report as soon as practical after the report is published.

3. That the attention of the Auxiliaries be directed to the proceedings of this Conference as found in the Annual Report.

4. That the **Standard of Excellence** be kept before the Auxiliaries.

5. That the Auxiliaries acquaint our Methodist people with the advantages offered by Scarritt Bible and Training School with a view to securing trained leaders.

6. That a **One-Win-One** campaign be inaugurated in every auxiliary.

7. That the district secretaries secure the co-operation of the consecrated women of her district to strengthen the weak places and to organize new Auxiliaries.

MRS. HARVEY BONEY, Chairman.
MRS. M. T. PLYLER, Secretary.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON MISSION STUDY AND PUBLICITY.

[No. 5]

Whereas, your Committee on Mission Study and Publicity believe that the printed page is one of the greatest forces for spreading information, therefore we make the following recommendations:

1st. That every auxiliary president stress the organizing of study classes, and urge all members to join.

2nd. That reading circles be formed where the study class is not practical.

3rd. That prayer circles be formed in every Auxiliary.

4. That the Superintendent of Study and Publicity shall give to the secular press, interesting bits of press news, thus giving the public the benefit of the latest news from the field.

5. That the Superintendent be urged to fill out report blanks and send to Conference Superintendent quarterly on time.

6. That the Superintendent seek interesting news items and send to editor of our paper in Raleigh Advocate; and in turn present the news found on this page to the Auxiliary.

7. That the study books when the class is through with them be donated to the missionary library.

8. That once a quarter at least the Advocate Page carry names and addresses where certain stated official supplies may be secured and at what price, or state if free, and what quantity is free to the Auxiliary.

Respectfully submitted,
MRS. T. A. PERSON, Chairman.
MRS. W. A. FELTON, Secretary.

REPORT OF THE SOCIAL SERVICE COMMITTEE.

[No. 6]

1. That in 1918, especially while our Legislature is in session, all Auxiliaries be alert to bring to bear all possible influence for the passage of proper laws for the upliftment of the oppressed.

2. That all members of our Missionary Societies see that the beneficial laws already enacted, both state and locally be enforced, including those establishing compulsory education, a corrective institution for women and girls, those regulating the sale of habit forming drugs and the cigarette, and it is of pre-eminent importance that when our Legislature meets, we bring every influence to bear upon the members of our General Assembly for the ratification of the National Prohibition Amendment.

3. That each Auxiliary co-operate with other local organizations for the public welfare, to secure play grounds, libraries, travelers aids, public matrons, and to raise the standard of morality of the negro.

4. That renewed efforts be made to secure censorship of moving pictures.

5. That we hold fast the ideal of a single standard of morality.

6. That the Superintendent of Social Service be allowed to send her quarterly literature to the Presidents of Auxiliaries for the remainder of 1918.

MRS. W. H. SPEIGHT, Chairman.
MRS. H. E. AUSTIN, Secretary.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON MEMOIRS.

[No. 7]

We recommend—

1st. That this Committee be appointed at one Conference for the next (a year ahead).

2nd. That the memorial service follow the communion service at the annual meeting.

MRS. J. M. RHODES, Chairman.
MRS. H. C. SPIERS,
MISS JENNIE WILLIAMS.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON RESOLUTIONS.

Whereas, the members of Edenton Street Church, and the people of Raleigh have entertained the Woman's Missionary Conference most royally therefore be it Resolved:

1. That we express our deep appreciation of the gracious manner in which they have taken us into their homes and extended to us every possible courtesy.

2. That we especially thank the ladies who have served us delicious lunches each day.

3. That we are deeply indebted to the Soloists and Church Choir, the Junior Choir, and the Choir from the Institution for the Blind, who have inspired us with sweet music.

4. That we, as a body, would thank Miss Emma Tucker for the vision which she has given us of our possibilities in Christian faith; Miss Ruth Blanks for her inspirational addresses; Miss Nina Troy for her beautiful presentation of her work in China and Miss Lucy foreman for her clear and forceful presentation of the Missionary Centenary.

5. That the visit to and the reception at the Orphanage demands our sincere appreciation and our hearty co-operation in that magnificent labor of love.

6. That we are most grateful to Mrs. Bickett for her gracious hospitality in entertaining us at the Governor's Mansion.

7. That our thanks are due to the Press for their very generous reports of our session, also to Mr. Pescud for the splendid postcards of Edenton Street Church, which he has most kindly presented to each member of the Conference.

8. That the keynote of prayer and spirituality set by our own Miss Lamb has been a vital factor in the success of this Conference, for which we most heartily thank her.

MRS. A. M. GATES,
MRS. M. H. SHEPHERD,
MRS. E. L. HART.

STATISTICAL REPORT OF YOUNG PEOPLE

DISTRICTS.	Dues.	Pledge.	Conference Fee.	Retirement and Relief.	Week of Prayer.	N. C. Band room.	Scarritt B. T. S.	Total Auxiliaries.	Total Districts.
Durham District—									
Memorial Church, Dur..	$17.23	$51.80	$12.75	$.410	$6.00	$....	$ 2.45	$94.33	
Trinity Church, Durham	4.21	9.65	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	13.86	
Roxboro	9.25	17.00	1.50	1.50	.....	.....	.....	29.25	
Prospect, org. last Qr...	2.10	5.00	2.05	2.00	2.25	.....	.....	13.40	
Yanceyville, org. lastQr.	2.05	5.00	.....	.....	2.00	.....	.....	9.05	—$ 159.89
Elizabeth City District—									
Andersons, Hertford ...	$11.70	$ 7.70	$ 2.55	$ .50	$....	$....	$.....	$22.45	
Hertford	7.50	10.25	3.00	.30	8.00	.....	1.00	30.05	
Kittrells	13.70	15.00	7.00	2.80	.....	1.00	2.00	41.50	
Manteo	8.75	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	8.75	—$ 102.75
Fayetteville District—									
Carthage	$ 4.65	$.....	$.....	$....	$....	$....	$.....	$ 4.65	
Dunn	1.95	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1.95	
Sanford	28.15	70.00	5.50	1.80	2.25	1.00	1.60	110.30	
Fayettev'e.Ways & M'ns	16.70	13.75	1.13	1.70	2.15	1.00	.....	36.43	—$ 153.33
New Bern District—									
St. Pauls, Goldsboro....	$19.60	$50.15	$.....	$....	$....	$1.00	$ 2.00	$72.75	
Trenton	6.80	7.50	.....	.....	.50	.....	.....	14.80	—$ 87.55
Raleigh District—									
Cary	$ 8.60	$ 5.00	$ .50	$1.90	$....	$....	$.....	$16.00	
Edenton St., (Raleigh)..	8.30	25.00	.50	.20	10.39	.....	.....	44.39	
Louisburg, No. 1.....	12.75	30.33	1.78	.40	.....	.....	.....	43.26	
Louisburg Wesleyan Dan	8.30	6.15	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	14.45	
Louisburg 3, org. in Dec.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
M. E. Orphanage.....	7.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	7.00	
Oxford	13.00	7.35	1.25	1.70	3.58	1.00	.....	27.88	
Plank Chapel	19.45	20.00	2.90	2.15	1.00	2.00	1.00	48.50	
Kenly	2.00	.....	.....	.....	.55	.....	.....	2.55	—$ 206.03
Rockingham District—									
Aberdeen	$ 8.30	$ 7.70	$.....	$....	$....	$....	$.....	$16.00	
Biscoe	15.90	3.00	1.75	.70	.....	1.00	.....	22.35	
Carolina College	.....	49.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	49.00	
Fairmont	8.41	11.50	.....	.....	3.00	5.00	.....	27.91	
Gibson, 1st report.....	1.95	2.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3.95	
Lillie Duke (Rock'gham)	6.75	12.00	1.10	.80	2.00	1.00	.....	23.65	
Mount Gilead	17.75	10.90	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	28.65	
Raeford	4.70	.....	.....	.....	.....	1.00	.....	5.70	
Red Springs	1.70	4.25	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5.95	
Star	4.15	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.70	4.85	—$ 188.01
Warrenton District—									
Arcola	$ 6.47	$15.00	$.....	$....	$....	$....	$.....	$21.47	
Littleton College	.....	10.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10.00	
Weldon	4.20	13.85	.....	.....	.....	1.00	.....	19.05	
Windsor	3.00	4.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	7.00	—$ 57.52
Washington District—									
Aurora	$ 7.50	$.....	$.....	$....	$....	$....	$.....	$ 7.50	
Eureka	8.95	.....	.....	.....	5.25	.....	.....	14.20	
Farmville	2.70	2.50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5.20	
Fremont	2.20	.....	.50	.....	.....	1.00	.....	3.70	
Nashville	3.30	.....	.....	.....	3.00	.....	.....	6.30	
Spring Hope	2.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2.00	
Sharon, org. last Quarter	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Wilson	16.50	4.20	.....	.....	4.45	.....	.....	25.15	—$ 64.05
Biounts C., re-or. Narrins	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Wilmington District—									
Fifth St., Wilmington..	$17.20	$25.07	$ 7.00	$1.40	$....	$1.00	$.....	$51.67	
Ida Hankins, Wilmingt'n	4.75	15.95	2.25	.85	.....	.....	.....	23.80	
Richlands	6.90	3.00	.50	.50	.....	.....	.....	10.90	
Rose Hill	1.25	9.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10.25	—$ 96.62
Total for Districts.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	$ 1115.75

STATISTICAL REPORT OF BRIGHT JEWELS.

DISTRICTS.	BABY DIVISION. No. Members.	BABY DIVISION. Amount of Enrollment Fees.	BABY DIVISION. Amount from Mite Boxes.	JUNIOR DIVISION. No. Members.	JUNIOR DIVISION. Amount of Membership Fees.	JUNIOR DIVISION. Amount from Mite Boxes.	Total Amount Raised.	Subscribers to Young Christian Worker.
Durham District								
Bethel	2	$ .12	$	9	$ 4.18	$ 2.62	$ 6.92	—
Burlington				37	3.45		3.45	8
Chapel Hill	7	1.75	.74	19	5.18	7.07	14.74	2
Durham, Memorial	9	.50	6.30	65	28.53	86.99	12.36	20
Durham, Trinity				22	6.30	7.25	13.55	3
Leesburg				25	9.60	3.00	12.60	6
Milton	3	1.25	1.60	15	3.20	1.55	7.60	12
Prospect				14	5.10	8.00	13.10	8
Roxboro	24	3.75	8.29	40	21.80	36.16	70.00	—
Yanceyville				18	3.45	3.00	6.45	2
Elizabeth City District								
Anderson		$	$	55	$ 11.10	$ 12.40	$ 23.50	13
~~Belhaven~~				30	1.50		1.50	—
~~Columbia~~					3.21	6.17	9.38	—
E. City, City Road				22	1.25	20.50	21.75	—
E. City, First Church	8	1.75	1.02	56	9.25	24.75	36.77	—
Gatesville	2		1.50	29	23.50		25.00	5
Grandy					2.90	6.00	8.90	—
Harrells	4	.50	.29	19	2.00	.79	3.58	1
Hertford	33	1.75	19.75	63	31.90	37.12	90.52	14
Manteo					5.95	1.25	7.20	—
New Hope	8			37	6.03	7.12	13.15	5
Pantego	2		.45	18	8.81	15.35	24.61	6
Parkers				30	6.37	6.56	12.93	—
Philadelphia	5		1.88	9	—	11.66	13.54	3
~~Roper~~				37	6.10		6.10	4
Wanchese				62	23.20	24.50	47.70	12
Zion	3	.25	1.39	14	3.34	10.21	15.19	7
Fayetteville District—								
Camp Ground	6	$ .75	$ .51	24	$ 4.75	$ 15.30	$ *31.31	8
Carthage				32	6.40	2.50	8.90	1
Dunn	22		19.48	43	16.06	40.85	*81.39	4
Fayetteville, Hay St				45	24.70	23.50	48.20	13
~~Hope Mills~~					1.28	2.00	3.28	—
~~Jonesboro~~						1.40	1.40	—
Pittsboro	3			15	3.65	3.00	6.65	—
Roseboro				12	2.30		2.30	17
Sanford	1	.25		25	10.99	88.88	100.12	2
Siler City				27	4.09	13.57	17.66	7
New Bern District—								
Goldsboro, St. Paul	15	$ 1.00	$ 15.80	45	$ 9.74	$ 81.46	$ 108.00	6
Hookerton	10	.44	4.63	16	11.06	10.36	26.49	9
Kinston	23	3.50	8.36	64	26.60	81.54	120.00	14
LaGrange					3.65	10.00	13.65	—
Morehead City	8	.50	.45	44	12.95	8.65	22.55	—
New Bern, Centenary	39	3.50	13.39	78	24.01	129.07	169.97	27
Ocracoke				16	5.60		5.60	—
Pollocksville				11	3.00	1.00	4.00	—
~~Princeton~~				22	1.00	1.38	2.38	—
Trenton					2.35	10.71	13.06	—
Raleigh District—								
Banks		$	$	18	$ 6.25	$ 1.25	$ 7.50	2
~~Benson~~				36	2.26		2.26	7
Cary				16	8.74	10.53	19.27	4
~~Clayton~~	15		1.30	25	5.05	2.50	8.85	12
Four Oaks				18	6.45		6.45	—
Franklinton	19	.25	15.26	17	10.40	55.53	121.44	16
~~Fuquay Springs~~				29	2.75	4.50	7.25	3
Kenly	12	1.00	2.70	30	4.35	2.50	10.55	10
Louisburg	8			22	11.50	48.36	59.86	10
Oxford	9	.25	2.40	36	14.95	30.96	48.56	27
Plank Chapel				15	4.99	17.84	22.87	3
Raleigh, Central				37	19.25	12.00	*56.25	—
Raleigh, Edenton St.	15	2.35	.05	63	21.95	57.75	82.00	10
Salem				14	5.15	8.00	13.15	2
Selma	10	1.42	1.75	37	.20	5.50	8.87	4
Smithfield	31	2.00	6.58	35	11.00	18.47	38.05	18
Zebulon				15	8.55	8.65	17.20	1

STATISTICAL REPORT OF BRIGHT JEWELS.

DISTRICTS.	BABY DIVISION			JUNIOR DIVISION.			Total amount Raised.	Subscribers to Young Christian Worker.
	No. Members.	Amount of Enrollment Fees.	Amount from Mite Boxes.	No. Members.	Amount of Membership Fees.	Amount from Mite Boxes.		
Rockingham District—								
Aberdeen	....	$.....	$.....	....	$ 2.50	$	$ 2.50	—
Biscoe	....	.....	.....	36	8.80	....	8.80	—
Fairmont	4	.....	.....	52	15.94	14.19	30.13	5
Gibson	5	.....	.....	22	7.80	15.18	22.98	—
Hamlet	....	.....	.....	28	5.89	6.29	12.18	—
Laurinburg	....	.....	.....	56	22.69	52.31	75.00	12
Maxton	17	3.00	1.45	34	11.30	38.38	54.13	5
Mount Gilead	....	.....	.....	60	24.90	25.00	49.90	13
Raeford	....	.....	.....	18	2.75	....	2.75	13
Red Springs	....	.....	.....	34	9.34	15.20	24.54	10
Rockingham	16	4.00	3.48	39	10.59	12.35	30.42	—
Troy	10	2.50	.39	29	12.85	1.93	17.67	3
Wadeville	1	.....	.67	8	4.80	2.49	7.96	1
Washington District								
Blount's Creek	....	$.....	$.....	....	$ 6.06	$	$ 6.06	—
Farmville	....	.....	.....	30	1.50	4.06	5.56	5
Fremont	....	.....	.....	34	1.27	2.07	3.34	6
Greenville	47	1.00	2.97	60	15.91	15.19	35.07	15
Idalia	....	.....	.....	15	1.50	5.23	6.78	3
Mauls Point	....	.....	.....	7	3.50	4.09	7.59	2
Nashville	5	.35	.48	40	4.68	11.46	16.97	10
Rocky Mount	21	2.00	.....	44	15.00	21.00	38.00	—
Spring Hope	17	.....	2.95	18	5.44	4.25	12.64	4
Swan Quarter	....	.....	.....	21	8.03	....	8.03	—
Tarboro	....	.....	.....	15	1.10	....	1.10	—
Washington	....	.....	.....	32	9.75	8.90	18.65	—
Wilson	5	.50	.....	48	10.60	54.40	65.50	7
Wilmington District—								
Clinton	....	$.....	$.....	....	$	$ 4.50	$ 4.50	—
Johnsons Chapel	....	.....	.....	16	4.40	....	4.40	—
Magnolia—Trinity	....	.....	.....	27	3.45	....	3.45	13
Richlands	9	.25	1.50	28	6.74	4.84	13.33	7
Rose Hill	....	.....	.....	28	19.00	10.00	29.00	3
Wallace	....	.....	.....	32	10.53	6.50	17.03	3
Whiteville	16	.75	.....	26	3.00	3.30	7.05	10
Wilmington, 5th Ave.	12	.50	2.54	....	....	....	*53.04	--
Wilmington, Grace	12	1.25	2.25	43	25.74	28.02	57.26	13
Wilmington, Trinity	....	.....	.....	39	19.85	23.46	43.31	5
Warrenton District—								
Ahoskie	6	$.....	$.....	10	$ 4.05	$	$ 4.05	2
Bethlehem	....	.....	.....	22	11.33	3.18	14.51	—
Conway	....	.....	.....	....	2.63	5.80	8.43	—
Enfield	....	.....	.....	15	3.75	....	3.75	—
Garysburg	....	.....	.....	31	20.55	14.31	34.86	5
Henderson	....	.....	.....	38	15.86	15.49	31.35	—
Jackson	....	.....	.....	50	19.10	41.25	60.35	—
Littleton	20	1.50	9.00	31	11.80	20.70	43.00	9
Macon	....	.....	.....	....	8.40	.55	8.95	—
Middleburg	8	.75	.....	9	1.60	....	2.35	1
Murfreesboro	....	.....	.....	....	4.22	6.07	10.29	—
Norlina	....	.....	.....	32	7.85	8.22	16.07	10
Roanoke Rapids	....	.....	.....	....	5.41	.46	5.87	—
Roxobel	....	.....	.....	....	.40	....	.40	—
Seaboard	....	.....	.....	....	.70	....	.70	—
Warrenton	....	.....	.....	18	10.80	....	10.80	10
Weldon	21	2.25	12.00	45	26.75	29.00	70.00	16
Windsor	17	1.25	17.85	35	21.15	....	*45.25	6
Winton	9	.25	.52	18	5.56	6.80	13.13	3

SUMMARY BY DISTRICTS.

DISTRICTS.	BABY DIVISION.				JUNIOR DIVISION.				Total Amount Raised.	Subscribers to Young Christian Worker.
	No. Bands.	No. members.	Amount of Enrollment Fees.	Amount from Mite Boxes.	No. Bands.	No. members.	Amount of Membership Fees.	Amount from Mite Boxes.		
Durham	5	45	$ 7.37	$ 16.97	10	264	$ 90.79	$ 153.64	$ 270.77	60
Elizabeth City..	8	65	4.25	26.28	17	571	122.31	207.88	361.32	71
Fayetteville	4	32	1.00	19.99	10	253	75.62	189.62	*301.21	47
New Bern	5	95	8.94	42.63	9	306	99.96	334.17	485.70	56
Raleigh	8	119	6.42	30.04	15	464	142.94	283.34	*527.74	129
Rockingham	6	53	10.25	5.99	13	436	141.00	184.32	341.26	78
Warrenton	6	81	6.00	39.37	19	455	181.91	151.85	*384.11	52
Washington	5	95	3.85	6.40	13	374	81.81	138.68	230.74	49
Wilmington	5	49	2.75	6.29	9	259	89.26	84.07	*232.37	44
Total	52	626	50.83	193.96	117	3380	1026.20	1729.53	*3145.52	575

* These totals include the following specials: Camp Ground, Memorial Roll, $10.00; Dunn, Life Member, $5.00; Franklinton, Bettie Vann Scholarship, $40.00; Raleigh, Central, Mercer Gift for Mary Black, $25.00; Windsor, Life Membership, $5.00; Wilmington, Fifth Avenue, for Mary Black, $50.00; Murphy life membership, $10.00.

DISTRICT SECRETARY'S REPORT.

DURHAM DISTRICT	Number of Members.	New Members.	Subscribers.	Mission Study.	Dues.	Pledge.	Conference Fund.	Retirement Fund.	Week of Prayer.	Scarritt Room.	Scarritt School.	Total.	Local Work.
Allensville	12	....	7	....	$ 3.50	$ 3.50	$.....	$.....	$.....	$.....	$.....	$ 7.00	$ .....
Bethel	12	4	12	12	24.30	5.00	6.00	1.20	....	1.00	....	37.50	8.00
Branson	20	5	8	10	13.55	20.50	1.00	1.15	2.00	....	....	38.20	28.00
Brooksdale	8	...	6	....	18.70	17.50	4.00	.70	....	1.00	....	41.50	—
Burlington	40	5	15	....	79.35	110.20	17.50	4.60	7.50	2.00	....	220.50	82.75
Carrboro	18	....	1	10	9.05	9.30	.50	.10	1.00	....	....	19.95	—
Chapel Hill	21	....	4	6	21.15	31.35	10.50	2.10	5.00	1.50	....	74.60	—
Duke's Chapel	17	....	8	....	2.20	2.00	....	....	....	....	....	4.20	—
Leasburg	10	....	5	10	24.90	25.00	3.25	1.10	2.10	1.00	1.60	58.95	17.00
Locust Hill	10	2	4	....	19.45	25.00	4.00	1.00	....	....	....	49.45	5.00
Memorial	83	6	30	43	142.45	243.29	23.75	4.95	33.64	3.85	....	451.93	139.13
Milton	6	....	4	....	5.10	5.50	3.00	.60	2.65	1.00	....	17.85	14.51
New Hope	12	....	6	....	7.45	26.00	1.00	1.00	....	....	....	35.45	—
Prospect	20	8	8	15	17.75	34.25	6.00	2.20	5.00	1.50	....	66.70	1.25
Purley	7	....	3	....	12.65	10.35	2.65	.70	....	1.00	....	27.35	—
Roxboro	68	3	12	20	155.20	200.00	17.00	5.00	12.00	1.50	3.75	394.45	542.00
Trinity No. 1	54	5	15	15	106.65	198.05	21.40	4.35	22.00	3.65	....	356.10	326.60
Trinity No. 2	35	5	8	....	56.15	95.40	9.95	2.40	23.00	2.00	....	188.90	145.66
West Durham	31	7	4	8	18.50	20.90	5.00	1.10	5.90	2.00	....	53.40	102.33
Yanceyville	11	....	5	....	14.75	25.00	2.00	1.60	15.50	2.00	....	60.85	25.00
Hillsboro (new)	22	22	5	....	5.00	....	....	....	....	....	10.00	15.00	—
West Burlington (new)	15	15	3	....	16.85	5.00	1.00	.50	....	....	....	23.35	—
Total	532	87	173	149	774.25	1116.09	139.50	35.75	137.29	25.00	15.35	2243.23	1437.23
5 Baby Divisions	45	....	....	....	7.37	16.97	....	....	....	....	....	24.34	—
10 Junior Divisions	264	....	....	....	90.79	155.64	....	....	....	....	....	246.43	—
4 Young People's Societies	115	....	4	35	48.54	106.20	20.30	10.20	10.25	....	2.45	197.94	—
Total	956	87	177	184	920.95	1394.90	159.80	45.95	147.54	25.00	17.80	2711.94	1437.23
Local Work	....	....	....	....	.....	....	....	....	....	....	....	1437.23	—
Grand Total	....	....	....	....	.....	....	....	....	....	....	....	4149.17	—

DISTRICT SECRETARY'S REPORT.

ELIZABETH CITY DISTRICT	Number Members.	New Members.	Subscribers to Voice.	Mission Study.	Dues.	Conference Expense Fund.	Retirement Relief.	Pledge.	Week of Prayer.	Scarritt Endowment.	Blanche Fentress.	Scholarship.	Furnishing Room at Scarritt.	Total sent Conference Treasurer.	Average per member.	Local work.	Grand total.
Bethany, Wanchese	36	..	8	..	$40.60	$ 8.55	$ 1.35	$ 21.56	$.....	$ 1.30	$.....	$.....	$ 1.00	$ 74.36	$ 2.47	$ 1.05	$ 75.41
Manteo	39	3	3	1	50.00	10.75	3.20	30.46	7.00	....	....	....	1.00	102.41	2.62	30.00	132.41
Kittrells	20	..	7	..	37.20	3.35	....	25.05	....	....	....	....	1.00	66.60	3.33	7.00	73.60
Zions	15	..	..	..	20.00	3.55	.70	20.00	....	....	....	....	1.00	45.25	3.01	....	45.25
Andersons	15	..	8	..	44.10	....	....	40.00	....	1.00	....	....	....	85.10	5.66	....	85.10
Minnie Wilson, Hertford	41	4	5	..	101.00	22.95	4.50	121.05	9.00	....	....	....	1.00	259.50	6.32	263.29	522.79
Belhaven	11	..	2	..	25.00	4.55	.80	.....	2.81	....	....	....	....	33.16	3.01	99.94	133.10
Philadelphia	21	1	12	....	39.80	10.00	....	21.00	16.76	2.25	....	....	1.00	90.81	4.32	96.45	187.26
Gatesville	26	..	9	..	48.45	6.10	1.30	91.00	13.19	4.10	....	40.00	2.00	206.14	7.92	.....	206.14
Hertford	29	..	15	1	54.14	11.10	2.00	147.25	9.00	....	5.00	....	2.00	230.49	7.94	541.38	771.87
Pantego	10	..	8	..	12.90	....	....	19.05	3.75	....	....	....	1.00	36.70	3.67	.....	36.70
New Hope	14	..	5	..	19.95	....	....	7.50	....	....	....	....	1.00	28.45	2.03	.....	28.45
Hebron	7	..	..	..	10.82	....	....	.....	1.00	....	....	....	....	11.82	1.68	.....	11.82
City Road	18	..	..	..	15.60	2.62	.53	.....	....	....	....	....	1.75	20.50	1.13	38.85	59.35
Elizabeth City, First Church	75	1	20	1	173.80	36.19	7.26	432.65	25.55	5.00	....	....	4.50	684.95	9.12	181.82	866.77
Parkers	23	..	..	..	44.20	.65	....	30.00	....	1.25	....	....	1.00	77.10	3.35	10.00	87.10
McBride	10	..	..	..	11.66	....	....	.....	....	....	....	....	1.05	12.71	1.27	.....	12.71
Winfall	12	..	..	..	9.25	....	....	3.00	....	....	....	....	....	12.25	....	.....	12.25
Bible Woman sup. by G. C. Inst.	..	..	..	..	....	....	....	.....	....	....	....	....	....	75.00	....	.....	75.00
Total Adult	..	..	..	..	758.47	120.36	21.64	1009.51	88.06	14.90	5.00	40.00	20.30	2153.30	.....	1269.78	3423.08
8 Baby Divisions	65	..	..	..	4.85	....	....	26.28	....	....	....	....	....	31.13	....	.....	31.13
17 Junior Divisions	571	..	..	..	122.31	....	....	207.88	....	....	....	....	....	330.19	....	.....	330.19
Young Peoples	91	..	..	..	56.10	12.55	3.60	22.95	8.00	3.00	....	....	1.00	117.20	....	.....	117.20
Grand total	..	..	..	..	941.73	32.91	25.24	1276.64	96.06	17.90	....	....	21.30	2631.82	....	.....	3901.60

DISTRICT SECRETARY'S REPORT.

FAYETTEVILLE DISTRICT	Number Members.	New Members.	Sent to Missionary Voice.	Mission Study.	Dues.	Pledge.	Conference Expense Fund.	Retirement Fund.	Scarritt Fund.	Week of Prayer.	Bible Women.	Specials.	Amount sent Conference Treasurer.	Average per member.	Local work.	Totals for 1917.
Bell Bennett	22	7	16	30	$ 54.20	$ 69.75	$ 9.40	$ 3.90	$ 4.00	$ 4.85	$	$52.00	$198.10	$ 9.05	$ 52.50	$ 250.15
Camp Ground	12	..	..	..	42.74	25.00	3.35	3.35	....	6.31	....	1.00	81.75	6.81	100.00	81.75
Carthage	41	1	18	8	63.65	16.05	4.10	1.95	1.75	21.60	....	101.00	270.10	6.59	900.00	370.10
Dunn	50	3	18	....	110.20	150.00	22.00	4.40	4.00	8.55	60.00	6.00	305.15	6.13	539.10	1205.15
Hay Street	76	4	23	16	152.55	229.40	31.65	6.00	4.00	27.70	....	36.00	494.30	6.68	29.55	1033.40
Jonesboro	23	4	6	....	30.16	35.00	....	....	....	8.70	7.00	1.00	134.86	5.86	100.00	134.86
Pittsboro	21	5	3	..	43.10	25.00	3.80	.40	....	8.10	60.00	1.00	81.40	3.87	.....	110.95
Roseboro	20	..	8	8	16.30	7.20	.35	.60	....	....	....	5.00	29.45	1.47	.....	129.47
Siler City	19	2	9	..	37.00	53.00	3.00	1.50	1.00	15.50	....	2.00	113.00	6.00	.....	113.00
Sanford	20	5	14	10	27.12	.60	1.70	.50	....	6.00	54.70	1.00	91.62	4.58	.....	91.62
Total	304	31	115	72	577.02	610.00	79.35	22.60	14.75	107.31	181.70	206.00	1799.73	.....	1711.15	3520.35
4 Baby Divisions	32	..	..	..	1.00	19.95	....	....	....	....	....	....	34.99	....	.....	34.99
10 Junior Divisions	253	..	..	..	75.62	189.62	....	....	....	....	....	....	265.24	....	.....	265.24
2 Young People's Auxiliaries	44	..	..	..	76.45	108.75	6.63	3.50	1.60	9.65	....	2.00	208.88	....	.....	208.88
Grand Total	633	31	115	72	730.19	928.32	85.98	26.10	16.35	116.96	181.70	208.00	2308.54	.....	1711.15	4029.46

DISTRICT SECRETARY'S REPORT.

NEW BERN DISTRICT.	Number of Members.	Subscribers to Voice.	Mission Study.	Dues.	Conference Expense Fund.	Retirement Fund.	Scarritt Fund.	Week of Prayer.	Pledge.	Bible Women.	Foreign Band Room.	Average per member	Total for year.	Total Local Work	Grand total.
Pollocksville	18	4	....	$ 20.50	$ 2.00	$ .90	$	$	$ 15.00	$	$	$ 2.13	$ 38.40	$117.90	——
LaGrange	20	4	....	21.50	.....	....	....	....	30.00	....	....	2.57	51.50	52.87	——
Hookerton	16	10	13	17.50	3.50	1.40	....	11.55	46.55	....	1.00	5.09	81.50	.....	——
Ocracoke	8	4	12	9.80	.75	.80	....	2.75	12.40	....	1.00	3.43	27.50	....	——
St. John's	28	5	....	27.45	.....	....	....	9.00	53.55	....	1.00	3.21	91.00	....	——
Mount Olive	29	14	26	69.40	13.00	....	....	5.00	75.00	....	2.00	5.87	164.40	250.00	——
Faison	15	2	....	10.00	.....	....	....	5.00	160.78	....	....	11.71	175.78	....	——
Trenton	22	5	....	46.40	.25	.50	....	3.00	30.00	....	1.00	3.68	81.15	66.00	——
Kinston	71	15	....	122.00	24.00	5.00	....	8.00	210.00	75.00	....	6.18	444.00	120.00	——
Centenary	100	24	....	217.45	31.75	5.50	....	42.37	310.25	2.00	....	6.00	609.32	96.80	——
St. Paul Young People	31	7	....	57.15	12.10	2.30	2.00	3.00	102.00	.50	1.00	5.80	180.05	....	——
Snow Hill	20	10	....	9.60	2.50	.55	....	....	14.20	....	1.00	1.39	27.85	....	——
Beaufort	17	5	....	34.15	.....	....	....	....	.....	....	....	2.00	34.15	....	——
Oriental	13	....	....	13.60	.....	....	....	.20	.....	....	1.00	1.13	14.80	.....	——
St. Paul's	111	35	....	171.70	33.40	2.80	5.70	9.02	308.66	15.70	....	4.93	546.98	329.51	——
Morehead City	36	20	....	78.30	12.60	2.70	....	....	103.55	....	....	6.03	197.15	.....	——
Total	555	164	51	926.50	135.85	22.45	7.70	98.89	1471.94	93.20	9.00	4.98	2765.53	1033.08	3798.61
5 Baby Divisions	95	....	....	8.94	.....	....	....	....	42.63	....	....	....	51.57	.....	——
9 Junior Divisions	306	....	....	99.96	.....	....	....	....	334.17	....	....	....	434.13	.....	——
2 Young People's Auxiliaries	63	....	....	26.40	.....	13.44	2.00	.50	57.65	....	1.00	....	100.99	....	586.69
Total for District	....	....	....	.....	.....	....	....	....	.....	....	....	....	3352.22	1033.08	4385.30

DISTRICT SECRETARY'S REPORT.

RALEIGH DISTRICT.	Number of Members.	New Members.	Subscribers to Voice.	Mission S. Classes.	Mission S. Members.	Dues.	Pledge.	Conference Expense Fund.	Retirement and Relief Fund.	Scarritt Loan Fund.	Scholarships	Foreign Band Room.	Week of Prayer.	Specials.	Average per member.	Sent Conference Treasurer.	Local Work.	Total.
Apex	8	....	4	....	....	$ 7.95	$ 5.45	$ 1.15	$ .25	$.....	$.....	$.....	$.....	$.....	$ 1.85	$ 14.80	$.....	$ 14.80
Banks	29	1	10	....	....	38.00	40.50	7.50	1.50	1.75	25.00	....	2.00	....	4.00	116.25	.....	116.25
Cary	13	1	5	1	7	27.40	30.00	3.90	2.85	....	....	1.00	5.45	....	5.43	70.60	87.38	157.98
Central	51	22	6	1	7	39.55	101.85	6.50	1.50	.30	....	1.00	5.82	....	3.07	156.52	333.01	489.53
Clayton	24	2	6	....	....	23.30	18.00	1.25	....	4.00	....	....	2.95	....	2.06	49.50	5.95	55.45
Edenton Street	111	10	16	....	....	239.20	165.00	49.84	9.96	4.00	48.50	2.00	18.36	....	4.84	536.86	3435.25	3972.11
Elizabeth	7	....	5	....	....	12.60	14.25	2.25	1.05	2.35	....	....	....	....	4.64	32.50	.....	32.50
Four Oaks	12	2	6	....	....	26.00	40.00	5.40	1.10	....	....	2.00	....	....	6.20	74.50	.....	74.50
Franklinton	19	....	14	2	28	40.20	379.35	5.23	1.85	2.25	....	6.15	35.00	....	24.74	470.03	360.00	530.03
Franklinton No. 2	26	4	6	1	26	55.20	60.00	11.50	2.30	....	....	....	....	....	4.96	129.00	.....	129.00
Fuquay Springs	15	2	7	1	10	20.00	20.00	4.02	1.25	....	....	1.00	1.70	....	3.20	47.97	20.00	67.97
Kenly	19	4	14	1	20	47.90	11.75	1.20	10.20	4.60	....	2.00	5.00	....	4.32	82.05	409.83	491.88
Louisburg	50	2	16	2	61	109.00	234.75	24.00	4.80	4.00	....	1.50	10.00	* 260.	12.96	648.05	472.20	1120.25
Maria Brown	28	4	6	1	12	58.75	70.85	10.50	2.15	4.50	....	1.00	9.66	....	5.62	157.41	.....	157.41
Mary Pescud	37	8	18	1	12	84.40	120.20	18.45	5.15	4.60	106.35	3.50	35.00	....	10.20	377.66	67.78	445.44
Oxford	37	2	18	1	18	74.60	175.00	13.15	2.85	4.00	....	1.00	10.30	....	7.59	280.90	140.10	420.10
Plank Chapel	6	....	4	....	....	18.00	24.00	3.80	.70	....	....	....	....	....	7.75	46.50	.....	46.50
Salem	24	7	2	....	....	23.05	16.75	....	....	....	....	....	5.00	....	1.87	44.80	.....	44.80
Selma	25	....	9	....	....	60.00	26.80	12.50	2.50	4.00	....	5.00	10.00	....	4.83	120.80	218.15	338.95
Shady Grove	4	....	4	....	....	8.08	2.00	1.17	1.17	....	....	....	....	....	3.00	12.00	25.00	37.00
Smithfield	50	6	43	2	22	120.00	100.00	22.00	22.00	4.00	....	2.50	29.40	† 5.00	5.76	288.10	679.50	967.60
Donation from friend	....	....	....	....	....	.....	.....	....	....	....	....	9.00	....	....	....	9.00	.....	9.00
Total	595	77	219	14	223	1133.18	1656.50	205.31	57.91	43.75	179.85	38.65	185.64	265.00	6.33	3765.80	5852.25	9618.05
9 Young People's (1 new)	154	....	....	....	....	88.40	130.00	10.76	6.35	1.00	....	3.75	15.52	....	....	255.78	.....	——
17 Junior Divisions	464	....	....	....	....	142.84	283.34	....	....	....	40.00	....	....	‡25.00	....	491.28	.....	——
8 Baby Divisions	119	....	....	....	....	6.42	30.04	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	36.46	.....	——
Grand total	....	....	....	....	....	.....	.....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	4549.32	.....	——

* Day School $200.00, Bible Women $60.00; † Deaconness Scholarship; ‡ Mary Black Hospital.

DISTRICT SECRETARY'S REPORT.

ROCKINGHAM DISTRICT.	Number of Members.	Subscribers to Mrs. Voice.	Mission Study.	Dues.	Conference Expense	Retirement.	Pledge.	Week of Prayer.	Specials.	Scarritt.	Conference Treasurer.	Average per member.
Aberdeen	22	11	....	48.00	$ 11.00	$ 2.20	$ 371.00	$ 113.60	$ 100.00	$ 5.00	$ 650.80	$ 29.50
Biscoe	8	....	....	16.78	.75	1.55	44.21	.....	10.00	1.00	74.29	9.28
Elizabethtown	20	14	....	18.40	.....	.....	19.45	1.25	.....	.....	39.10	1.95
Fairmont	30	4	13	46.66	4.58	4.02	50.00	25.00	14.35	.....	144.61	4.80
Gibson	10	6	....	35.00	7.20	2.50	47.50	51.25	78.00	.....	221.45	22.15
Hamlet	35	11	12	65.80	.....	.....	40.50	6.00	100.00	1.65	213.95	6.10
Laurinburg	44	22	....	94.40	28.75	3.55	589.19	27.00	23.07	2.00	767.96	17.45
Laurinburg Young Women	22	14	....	46.80	.....	.....	259.56	14.65	40.00	.....	361.01	16.40
Lumberton	43	15	10	95.00	5.00	1.50	114.00	9.50	50.00	.....	275.00	6.25
Maxton	31	8	8	66.70	11.85	.90	125.00	3.35	16.00	.....	223.80	7.20
Maxton Young Women	20	6	....	30.65	2.05	.85	56.05	.....	40.00	.....	129.60	6.50
Mount Gilead	22	8	....	51.65	2.20	.95	23.25	.....	17.65	.....	95.70	4.35
Raeford	20	....	....	43.35	5.50	.....	40.30	.....	.....	1.00	99.55	4.98
Red Springs	23	10	....	20.70	3.40	1.60	51.00	5.00	10.00	.50	92.20	4.00
Rockingham	70	33	....	147.45	30.00	6.00	275.00	5.55	75.00	3.00	542.00	8.00
Rockingham Young Women	35	20	....	74.50	15.75	3.15	123.00	10.20	40.00	4.00	270.60	8.00
Rowland	22	11	....	46.47	8.78	.....	33.05	.....	16.25	1.00	105.55	4.80
St. Pauls	10	....	....	25.70	.....	.....	14.90	.....	3.00	.....	43.60	4.35
St. Johns	24	....	....	25.00	4.75	.75	5.00	.....	100.00	1.00	136.50	5.70
Troy	22	10	....	50.80	6.55	6.40	10.25	.....	.....	.....	74.80	3.40
Wadeville	6	2	....	16.20	2.80	.50	22.30	2.00	.....	1.50	45.40	7.55
Asbury	10	....	....	16.35	4.05	.95	15.00	.....	2.00	1.00	39.35	3.90
Mrs. Frank Page	....	....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	40.00	.....	40.00	—
Total	548	203	43	1082.36	154.96	37.47	2281.96	283.75	982.32	22.65	4686.82	8.55
6 Baby Divisions	53	....	....	10.25	.....	.....	5.99	.....	.....	.....	16.24	—
14 Junior Divisions	436	....	....	141.00	.....	.....	184.32	.....	.....	.....	325.32	—
10 Young People's Auxiliaries	132	....	....	69.60	2.85	2.20	133.20	5.00	.....	8.00	220.86	—
Grand total	1169	....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5259.24	—

DISTRICT SECRETARY'S REPORT.

WARRENTON DISTRICT.	Number of Members.	Subscribers to Missionary Voice.	Mission Study.	Dues.	Conference Expense Fund.	Scarritt Fund.	Relief Fund.	Pledge.	Thank Offering.	Total.	Average.	Local.	Grand total.
Arcola	16	4	....	$ 38.40	$ 4.80	$ 3.20	$ 1.60	$	$	$ 48.00	$ 3.00	$	$ 48.00
Calvary	17	....	....	24.35	5.10	3.40	1.70	6.75	....	41.30	2.43	....	41.30
Coleraine	8	5	....	17.65	2.40	1.60	.80	19.00	2.60	44.05	5.50	39.83	83.88
Conway	19	5	....	33.22	3.75	2.00	2.00	45.33	22.16	108.46	5.70	10.80	119.26
Enfield	10	....	....	3.50	....	....	....	....	....	3.50	....	....	3.50
Garysburg	18	5	....	30.60	2.30	1.90	1.70	20.12	....	56.62	4.20	57.80	114.42
Henderson	50	11	....	80.80	5.50	5.50	1.00	100.00	10.30	203.10	4.06	98.60	301.70
Jackson	20	10	....	48.00	6.00	4.00	2.00	146.38	4.10	210.48	10.52	....	210.48
Littleton	40	14	....	63.55	5.20	6.80	2.70	95.35	15.70	189.30	4.73	178.34	367.64
Middleburg	13	....	....	24.00	3.00	2.00	1.00	9.10	....	39.10	3.00	....	39.10
Murfreesboro	18	4	....	35.10	3.00	3.40	1.70	25.80	8.00	77.00	4.28	66.00	143.00
Norlina	17	8	14	35.25	4.80	3.20	1.60	36.85	7.25	88.95	5.23	34.69	123.64
Roanoke Rapids	16	4	....	14.35	....	....	....	5.00	....	19.35	2.42	....	19.35
Rosemary	12	....	....	15.50	.85	....	.60	....	4.63	21.58	3.60	54.50	76.08
Seaboard	25	....	....	30.00	3.00	1.87	1.00	40.00	3.41	79.28	4.40	....	79.28
Severn	10	4	7	24.00	3.00	2.00	1.00	25.75	10.50	66.25	6.62	....	66.25
Shocco	7	....	....	8.40	....	....	....	5.00	2.90	16.30	4.65	....	16.30
Union	19	4	....	24.55	....	....	....	4.75	....	29.30	1.54	....	29.30
Warren C.	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	27.00	....	....	....	....	27.00
Warrenton	35	17	....	84.00	11.50	10.66	3.50	120.12	25.10	254.88	7.28	348.95	603.83
Weldon	66	22	....	175.00	13.00	10.00	6.00	170.00	20.00	394.00	5.97	573.00	967.00
Williamston	22	15	....	13.20	1.60	....	1.10	8.60	5.10	29.60	5.40	....	29.60
Windsor	19	7	9	43.85	5.70	3.80	1.90	13.10	11.25	79.60	4.19	29.00	108.60
Winton	15	3	9	36.00	4.50	3.00	1.50	16.00	12.00	73.00	4.87	6.25	79.25
Totals	492	142	39	903.27	89.00	68.33	34.40	940.00	165.00	2200.00	....	1497.76	3697.76
6 Baby Divisions	81	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	50.37	....	....	———
19 Bright Jewels	455	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	333.74	....	....	———
3 Young People's Auxiliaries	64	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	80.86	....	....	———
Grand Totals	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	2664.97	....	....	4162.73

DISTRICT SECRETARY'S REPORT.

WASHINGTON DISTRICT.	Number of Members.	New Members.	Dues.	Pledge.	Subscribers to Miss. Voice.	Mission Study.	Conference Expense Fund.	Retirement Fund.	Week of Prayer.	Specials.	Scarritt.	Conference Treasurer.	Average per Member.	Local Work.	Totals for year.
Aurora	24	2	$ 27.85	$.....	3	....	$.....	$.....	$.....	$37.50	$.....	$ 27.85	.....	$ 34.85	$ 100.00
Rocky Mount	60	2	133.40	175.00	....	....	5.50	1.30	6.75	.....	1.30	323.25	5.38 3-4	313.50	636.75
Spring Hope	20	2	43.00	12.00	9	....	.....	.....	8.25	.....	.....	63.25	3.10 1-4	37.50	100.75
Greenville	44	5	41.65	68.30	15	44	6.00	1.25	12.40	.....	.....	129.60	2.94 6-11	13.00	142.60
Farmville	32	1	57.95	33.20	20	32	3.15	.25	17.57	.....	.....	112.12	3.81 5-8	177.70	289.82
Fremont	25	3	51.00	27.55	11	....	1.20	.....	.85	.....	.....	80.60	3.82 3-5	.....	80.60
Tarboro	25	....	49.50	11.80	....	....	.40	.....	13.91	.....	.....	75.61	3.02 11-25	.....	75.61
Fairfield	27	2	19.00	3.85	....	....	2.25	.....	.....	.....	.....	25.10	.92 26-27	.....	25.10
Warren's Chapel	15	1	9.50	.....	1	....	.....	.....	.....	37.50	.....	9.50	.63 1-3	.....	9.50
Washington	33	....	71.35	152.00	3	....	15.05	3.05	26.75	.....	.....	268.20	8.12 3-4	.....	268.20
Swan Quarter	27	3	27.85	.....	....	....	.....	.....	2.20	.....	.....	30.05	1.11 8-27	246.41	276.46
Beaman's	15	3	17.77	5.35	6	....	.....	.....	12.15	.....	.....	35.27	2.35 2-17	.....	35.27
Ayden	20	3	8.05	6.25	....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	14.25	.....	.....	14.25
Stantonsburg	9	2	15.25	.....	7	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15.25	1.68 4-9	22.90	38.15
Nashville	17	....	61.00	21.50	....	....	.....	.....	13.55	75.00	.....	96.05	5.65	.....	171.05
Wilson	81	....	159.75	153.05	....	....	33.95	6.05	5.35	.....	.....	358.15	4.42	278.02	636.17
Rocky Mount Y. W.	44	....	94.40	100.00	....	....	18.88	4.72	.....	.....	.....	218.00	5.00	34.30	252.30
Total	518	20	888.22	769.85	75	....	86.38	16.62	119.73	150.00	1.30	1882.10	.....	1158.18	3190.28
Young People's	103	....	57.55	6.70	....	....	.50	.....	12.70	.....	1.00	.....	.....	.....	78.45
Baby Division	95	....	3.85	6.40	....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10.25
Junior Division	374	....	81.81	138.68	....	....	.....	....	....	....	....	.....	.....	.....	220.49
Grand Total	....	....	1031.43	921.64	....	....	.....	....	....	....	....	.....	.....	.....	3499.47

DISTRICT SECRETARY'S REPORT.

WILMINGTON DISTRICT.	Number of Members.	New Members.	Subscribers to Miss. Voice.	Mission Study.	Dues.	Conference Expense Fund.	Retirement Fund.	Pledge.	Week of Prayer.	Special.	N. C. Room at Scarritt.	Scarritt B. T. School.	Amount sent Conference Treasurer.	Average per member.	Local Work.	Supplies.	Totals.
Bolivia	8	....	....	....	$	$	$	$ 3.50	$	$	$	$	$ 3.50	$ .44	$	$	$ 3.50
Burgaw	16	....	2	....	19.80	.50	....	9.05	1.20	....	1.00	....	31.55	1.97	9.20	....	40.75
Charity	12	....	....	....	18.29	.60	....	9.86	....	....	1.00	....	29.71	2.48	....	....	29.71
Clinton	20	....	....	....	20.65	....	....	....	2.00	....	1.00	....	23.65	1.18	9.85	31.75	65.25
Grace, Wilmington	86	3	28	19	164.15	35.75	6.80	800.00	....	....	2.00	4.00	1012.70	11.77	254.62	....	1267.32
Jacksonville	22	....	....	....	29.85	.40	....	25.00	5.61	.50	1.00	1.60	63.96	2.91	....	....	63.96
Johnson's Chapel	8	....	....	....	6.20	....	....	1.00	....	....	....	....	7.20	.90	....	....	7.20
Magnolia	10	....	....	....	4.00	....	....	....	....	....	1.00	....	5.00	.50	....	....	5.00
Richlands	21	2	6	....	42.00	9.35	1.80	42.00	12.50	1.70	1.00	....	110.35	5.25	31.50	....	141.85
Rose Hill	17	1	15	8	35.00	6.00	3.00	70.00	6.00	....	1.00	....	121.00	7.71	50.00	....	171.50
Southport	38	....	10	....	37.20	5.20	1.05	16.75	4.15	2.90	....	....	67.25	1.77	27.50	18.00	112.75
Trinity, Magnolia Circuit	15	....	....	....	13.20	....	....	....	....	....	1.00	....	14.20	.95	....	....	14.20
Trinity, Wilmington	30	4	....	10	61.25	....	....	28.00	14.50	....	1.00	2.00	106.75	3.56	....	....	106.75
Wallace	29	2	11	....	47.45	9.43	1.82	60.00	6.14	....	1.00	3.00	128.84	4.44	44.21	16.00	189.05
Whiteville	25	....	12	11	55.60	13.65	....	25.00	7.45	....	1.00	....	102.70	4.11	4.35	....	107.05
Wilmington, 5th Avenue	44	....	7	8	81.45	16.50	3.30	109.65	2.05	....	1.00	4.00	217.95	6.09	121.00	....	338.95
Total	401	12	91	56	636.09	97.38	17.77	1199.81	61.60	5.10	14.00	14.60	2046.31	.....	552.73	65.75	2549.83
5 Baby Divisions	49	....	....	....	2.75	....	....	6.29	....	*50.00	....	....	59.04	....	....	....	59.04
9 Junior Divisions	259	....	....	....	89.26	....	....	84.07	....	....	1.00	....	173.33	....	....	....	173.33
3 Young People's Auxiliaries	54	....	....	....	30.10	9.75	2.75	53.02	....	....	....	....	123.12	....	....	....	123.12
Grand Total	....	....	....	....	.....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	.....	....	....	....	2905.32

* $50 Special given by 5th Avenue Church, Wilmington.

CONSTITUTION OF CONFERENCE SOCIETIES.

1. In each Annual Conference there shall be organized a Conference Society auxiliary to the Woman's Missionary Council.

2. The object of this society is to plan and direct the woman's missionary work of the Conference.

3. The Conference Society shall consist of one or more delegates from each auxiliary, a district secretary from each district, and the following officers: a president, two vice-presidents, a corresponding secretary, a recording secretary, a treasurer, and superintendents of study and publicity, of social service, and of supplies. These officers shall be elected by ballot at the annual session and shall constitute the executive committee. The president and the corresponding secretary shall be members of the Woman's Missionary Council.

BY-LAWS FOR CONFERENCE SOCIETIES.

1. The executive committee shall transact business in the interim of the annual sessions. Five shall constitute a quorum.

2. Conference officers shall be nominated by a committee composed of a representative from each district, who shall be chosen by the district delegation. This shall not debar the parliamentary privilege of nomination from the floor nor the privilege of balloting for any person not nominated.

3. The district secretaries shall be nominated by a committee composed of the president, the vice-presidents, the corresponding secretary, and the treasurer, and shall be elected by acclamation.

4. Two members of the executive committee of the Conference shall be elected at each annual session as alternates to the Woman's Missionary Council.

5. The president shall preside at all meetings of the Conference Society and of the executive committee and shall actively advance the interests of the work. She shall sign all orders on the treasury.

6. The vice-presidents shall perform the duties of the president in her absence.

7. The first vice-president shall have charge of the young people's work and shall report quarterly to the first vice-president of the Woman's Missionary Council and to the corresponding secretary of the Conference Society.

The second vice-president shall have charge of the children's work and shall report quarterly to the second vice-president of the Woman's Missionary Council and to the corresponding secretary of the Conference Society.

8. The corresponding secretary shall conduct the correspondence of the society and supply the auxiliaries with information and with literature if so ordered by the Conference. She shall promote Christian stewardship and shall use all possible means for the organization of adult, young people's, and children's auxiliaries in every charge of the Conference, and shall report each new organization to the secretary of the Home Base, to whom she shall also make quarterly reports of the work of the Conference by the 15th day of April, July, October and January. She shall make an annual report to the Conference Society and report the preceding session of the Woman's Missionary Council. She shall sign all orders on the treasury.

9. The recording secretary shall give notice of all meetings of the Conference Society and of the executive committee and keep the minutes of the same on record.

10. The treasurer shall receive all funds of the society, keeping

an account with each auxiliary and submitting the same annually to an auditor. She shall disburse the Conference expense funds on the written order of the president and the corresponding secretary. She shall make an annual report to the Conference Society and shall send itemized reports promptly on the 15th day of April, July, October, and January to the treasurer of the Woman's Missionary Council, therewith transmitting such funds as are collected for the general treasury. She shall also send an itemized statement to the Conference corresponding secretary and to the president.

11. The district secretaries shall organize adult, young people's, and children's auxiliaries and use every available means to promote the work of the Woman's Missionary Society in their districts. They shall present a report of their work at the District Conference and shall hold annual meetings in the district, and all-day meetings when ever practicable. They shall conduct the correspondence with auxiliaries and send a quarterly report to the Conference corresponding secretary and a copy of the same to the president of the Conference Society.

12. The superintendent of study and publicity shall promote mission study and Bible study and shall disseminate missionary information through the Church and secular press. She shall report quarterly to the educational secretary.

13. The superintendent of social service shall stimulate and direct the study and investigation of social questions and shall seek to bring about social reforms. She shall report quarterly to the Council superintendent of social service.

14. The superintendent of supplies shall superintend the sending of boxes and needed supplies to ministers of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, and to institutions in the home and foreign fields under the direction of the Council She shall report quarterly to the Council superintendent of supplies.

15. Conference societies shall not project new work nor respond to special calls for aid unless authorized by the Woman's Missionary Council.

16. The membership funds of all auxiliary societies—adult, young people's and children's—also funds contributed to make life members, honorary life members, and honorary life patrons, are a part of the general fund which cannot be diverted by the Conference.

17. A Conference expense fund shall be provided by Conference assessment, the basis to be determined by each Conference according to the requirements. In no case shall membership dues or pledge funds be used for Conference expenses.

18. The thank offering during the week of prayer shall be applied to some specific object, to be determined each year by the Woman's Missionary Council in annual session.

19. The Conference Society may make such by-laws as the work demands, provided they do not conflict with those made by the Council.

20. The last half hour of each forenoon during the annual session of the Conference shall be devoted to Bible study.

CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS OF ADULT AUXILIARIES.

CONSTITUTION.

Any number of women may form an Adult Society auxiliary to the Conference Woman's Missionary Society by adopting the following constitution and by-laws and electing the officers herein provided:

1. This society shall be called the Woman's Missionary Society of the ..... Church, auxiliary to ..... Conference Society of the Woman's Missionary Council of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South.

2. The object of this auxiliary shall be to hasten the coming of the kingdom of God throughout the world by enlisting the women, young people, and children in a study of the needs of the world and in active missionary service; by raising funds for the evangelization of mission fields at home and abroad, for the maintenance of the institutions under the care of the Woman's Missionary Council and for the betterment of civic and social conditions.

3. Any one may become a member of this auxiliary by giving prayer and service and by paying twenty cents per month.

Each member shall be asked to make a voluntary offering for the maintenance and extension of the general work. Such funds shall constitute the pledge of the auxiliary. The dues, pledge, and any other undirected funds shall be prorated by the Council—40 per cent for the home and 60 per cent for the foreign work. Opportunities shall be given for offerings to be directed by individual donors for the support of special work. These special offerings by individuals shall not be prorated.

4. Any one may become a life member of the auxiliary by the payment of $25, an honorary life member by the payment of $100, and an honorary life patron by the payment of $300, provided the money be paid for that special purpose. It shall not be included in the pledge nor in any special assumed by individuals or that has been assigned to the auxiliary. Such membership should be considered as an honor, and should not release the holders from the obligations of active membership.

5. A name may be placed on the memorial roll by the gift of twenty-five dollars for this special purpose.

6. Every auxiliary member shall pay toward the relief and retirement fund and the Conference expense fund.

7. The auxiliary shall carry on local work, which shall consist of the care of the parsonage and the charity work of the church. This work may be done through a committee, the funds to be raised as the auxiliary directs.

8. The officers of the auxiliary shall be a president, two vice-presidents, a corresponding secretary, a recording secretary, a treasurer, an assistant treasurer, and superintendents of study and publicity, of social service, and of supplies. These officers shall constitute the executive committee of the auxiliary.

9. The auxiliary shall hold one or more meetings during the month for the transaction of business and for the study of the work. The first regular monthly meeting of the year shall be devoted to the consideration of plans and financial pledges for the new year and to the installation of officers. At the last business meeting of the fiscal year the annual election of officers shall be held.

BY-LAWS.

1. The president shall preside at all meetings of the auxiliary and shall actively advance its interests. In her absence one of the vice-presidents shall assume her duties.

2. The first vice-president shall be responsible for the organization of the Young People's Auxiliary and shall develop and direct its work. She shall send reports when required by the first vice-president of the Conference.

The second vice-president shall develop and direct the work of the Children's Auxiliary. She shall send a quarterly report to the second vice-president of the Conference.

3. The corresponding secretary shall conduct the correspondence of the auxiliary and shall promote Christian stewardship. She shall send to the district secretary, full reports by the first of January, April, July and October. She shall also send to the district secretary and Conference corresponding secretary the names and addresses of all newly elected officers of the auxiliary. She shall send her books to the district meetings for examination.

4. The recording secretary shall keep a record of the regular and called meetings and see that each meeting is properly announced.

5. The treasurer shall collect all moneys of the auxiliary, keep an account of the same, and make an itemized report monthly to the auxiliary. She shall remit to the Conference treasurer on the first of January, April, July and October, giving an itemized statement of the amount, a duplicate of the same to be furnished the auxiliary corresponding secretary. The books of the treasurer shall be audited annually.

6. The assistant treasurer shall have charge of local funds. She shall make a monthly report to the auxiliary, and she shall furnish the treasurer a quarterly statement to be included in her report. She shall pay out money from the local treasury only upon an order signed by both the president of the auxiliary and the chairman of the local committee.

The auxiliary as a society shall not assume obligation for the assistance or support of outside organizations, such as orphanages, hospitals, travelers' aids, Y. W. C. A., etc.

7. The superintendent of study and publicity shall be responsible for the organization of mission study and Bible study classes and prayer circles and for the dissemination of missionary information through the church and secular press. She shall report quarterly to the Conference superintendent of study and publicity.

8. The superintendent of social service shall stimulate and direct the study and investigation of social questions and shall seek to bring about social reforms. She shall report quarterly to the Conference superintendent of social service.

9. The superintendent of supplies shall superintend the sending of boxes and necessary supplies to ministers of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, and to institutions in the home and foreign fields under the direction of the Council. She shall report each box sent and its value to the Conference superintendent of supplies.

10. The vice-presidents, secretary, treasurer, and superintendents. shall make written reports at the regular meetings.

STANDING RULES.

We, the Committee on By-Laws and Standing Rules recommend:

1. That the Treasurers of each Auxiliary shall send all money and reports to District Secretary of her district and the money and reports of Young People be sent to first Vice-President and money

and reports of Junior division be sent to second vice-president the first day of the month of each quarter.

2. That for the purpose of securing accuracy, the executive committee of each auxiliary shall hold a meeting immediately before sending the quarterly reports.

3. That each District Secretary shall pledge an earnest effort to hold an annual meeting in her district at which time she shall urge the great importance of organizing new auxiliaries, doing all in her power to develop the district.

4. That the Conference officers and each auxiliary president make every effort to have the week of prayer observed.

CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS FOR YOUNG PEOPLE'S AUXILIARIES.

CONSTITUTION.

1. This auxiliary shall be called the Young People's Society of ..... Church, auxiliary to ..... Conference Society of the Woman's Missionary Council, Methodist Episcopal Church, South.

2. The object of this auxiliary shall be to hasten the coming of the kingdom of God throughout the world by enlisting the young people in active missionary service, by raising funds for the evangelization of Mission fields at home and abroad, for the maintenance of the institutions under the care of the Woman's Missionary Council, and for the betterment of civic and social conditions.

3. Any one between the ages of fourteen and twenty-one may become a member of the auxiliary by giving regularly prayer, service and a stated offering monthly or quarterly. Each member shall be asked to make an offering for the maintenance or extension of such objects of work in the home and foreign fields as are assigned to the young people by the Council. Such funds shall constitute the pledge of the auxiliary.

Membership funds and pledges shall be prorated by the Council treasurer—40 per cent for the home and 60 per cent for the foreign work.

Each member shall be expected to contribute to the retirement and relief fund and to the Conference expense fund.

4. Any one may become a life member of the auxiliary by the payment of $15, provided the money be paid for that special purpose. It shall not be included in the pledge nor in any special assumed by individuals or that has been assigned to the auxiliary.

5. A name may be placed on the memorial fund by the gift of fifteen dollars for this specific purpose.

6. The officers of the auxiliary, shall be a president, two vice-presidents, a corresponding secretary, a recording secretary, a treasurer, and the superintendents of study and publicity, of social service, and of supplies.

7. The auxiliary shall hold one or more meetings during the month for the transaction of business and for the study of the work. At the last meeting of the fiscal year there shall be the annual election of officers. At the following meeting there shall be a full report of the year's work, installation of officers, and consideration of plans for work and financial pledges for the new year.

BY-LAWS.

1. The president shall preside at the meeting of the auxiliary and shall in every way advance its interests. In the absence of the president, one of the vice-presidents shall preside.

2. The first vice-president shall keep in touch with the first vice-president of the Conference and shall report to her quarterly the full scope of the work.

The second vice-president shall assist the second vice-president of the Adult Auxiliary in superintending the Children's Auxiliary.

3. The corresponding secretary shall conduct the correspondence of the auxiliary and shall promote Christian stewardship. She shall report the full scope of the work quarterly to the district secretary, to whom she shall send the names and addresses of the newly elected officers.

4. The recording secretary shall keep a record of the regular and called meetings and shall see that each meeting is properly announced.

5. The treasurer shall collect all funds of the auxiliary, keeping a ledger account of the same, and remit to the Conference treasurer on the first day of January, April, July and October.

6. The superintendent of study and publicity shall be responsible for the organization of mission study and Bible study classes, for prayer circles, and for the dissemination of missionary information through the church and secular press. She shall have charge of subscriptions to the Missionary Voice and the Young Christian Worker. She shall report quarterly on the first day of January, April, July and October to the Conference superintendent of study and publicity.

7. The superintendent of social service shall have charge of social service studies issued by the Council. She shall co-operate wherever possible in the social service movements of her church and community. She shall report quarterly on the first day of January, April, July and October to the Conference superintendent of social service.

8. The superintendent of supplies shall superintend the packing and sending of boxes of supplies to institutions in the home and foreign fields under the direction of the Council. She shall report each box sent and its value to the Conference superintendent of supplies.

CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS FOR YOUNG CHILDREN'S AUXILIARIES.

CONSTITUTION.

1. This auxiliary shall be called the Children's Society of ..... Church, auxiliary to ..... Conference Society of the Woman's Missionary Council of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South.

2. The object of the auxiliary shall be to hasten the coming of the kingdom of God throughout the world by giving the children of the Church missionary education, training them for Christian service, and by cultivating in them habits of liberal and systematic giving and of daily Bible study and prayer.

3. The Children's Auxiliary shall consist of Baby and Junior Divisions, under the direction of the second vice-president of the Woman's

Missionary Auxiliary, whose work shall be correlated with that of the Conference second vice-president. All membership, mite box, and other undirected funds shall be sent through the Conference treasurer, to be prorated by the Council on the basis of 40 per cent to home and 60 per cent to foreign work.

BABY DIVISION.

1. Any child six years of age or under may become a member of the Baby Division upon the payment of an enrollment fee of 25 cents. Each member of the Baby Division shall be given a certificate of membership and shall be furnished with a mite box for voluntary offerings. The mite boxes shall be opened and their contents sent quarterly by the treasurer of the Junior Division to the Conference treasurer. Where there is no Junior Division through which to report, the second vice-president of the Adult Auxiliary shall send the money of the Baby Division to the Conference treasurer.

2. Any one may become a life member of the Baby Division of the Children's Auxiliary by the payment of $5, provided the money be paid for that specific purpose. It shall not be included in the pledge nor in any special assumed by individuals or that has been assigned to the Baby Division of the Children's Auxiliary.

3. Names of children may be placed on the Memorial Roll by the gift of $10.

4. Special meetings for the members of the Baby Division shall be arranged by the second vice-president of the Adult Auxiliary, at which time inspirational programs shall be presented.

5. Members of the Baby Division, at the age of six years, shall be promoted to the Junior Division and shall be given certificates of promotion.

6. The second vice-president of the Adult Auxiliary shall have charge of the Baby Division.

JUNIOR DIVISION.

1. Any child between the ages of six and fourteen may become a member of the Junior Division of the Children's Auxiliary by giving regularly prayer, service, and a stated monthly offering to missions. Each member of the Junior Division shall be furnished with a mite box for voluntary offerings. Mite boxes shall be opened quarterly, and the contents, with all other offerings, shall be sent to the Conference treasurer.

2. Any one may become a life member of the Junior Division of the Children's Auxiliary by the payment of $10, provided the money be paid for that special purpose. It shall not be included in the pledge nor in any special assumed by individuals or that has been assigned to the Junior Division of the Children's Auxiliary.

3. Names of children may be placed on the Memorial Roll by the gift of $10.

4. The officers of the Junior Division shall be a president, two vice-presidents, a corresponding secretary, a recording secretary, a treasurer, and superintendents of study and publicity and of social service. These officers, with the second vice-president of the Adult Auxiliary, shall hold a meeting of the committee of the Children's Auxiliary.

5. The Junior Division shall meet at least twice a month to transact necessary business and to follow the lines of study arranged by the Woman's Missionary Council, for which programs shall be furnished. At the close of each quarter the second vice-president of the Adult Auxiliary shall hold a meeting of the executive committee of the Junior Division to see that the work of the quarter is cor-

rectly and promptly reported to the proper officers. At the last meeting of the fiscal year there shall be the election of officers. The first regular monthly meeting of the year shall be devoted to making plans and financial pledges for the new year's work.

BY-LAWS.

1. The president shall preside at the meeting of the auxiliary and in every way advance its interests. In the absence of the president, one of the vice-presidents shall preside.

2. The first vice-president shall assist in the work of the Baby Division. The second vice-president shall be agent for the Young Christian Worker.

3. The corresponding secretary shall conduct the correspondence of the auxiliary and promote Christian stewardship and shall report quarterly to the district secretary. The corresponding secretary shall send the names and addresses of all newly elected officers to the district secretary.

4. The recording secretary shall keep a record of the regular and called meetings of the auxiliary and shall see that each meeting is properly announced.

5. The treasurer shall collect all funds of the auxiliary, keeping a ledger account of the same, and shall remit to the Conference treasurer quarterly. The treasurer's books shall be audited annually.

6. The superintendent of study and publicity shall assist in organizing and developing mission study and Bible study classes and shall send items of missionary news to the Young Christian Worker and local papers.

7. The superintendent of social service shall assist in directing the children in carrying out such lines of social service study and activity as are sent out by the Council.

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HISTORICAL

ANNUAL SESSIONS OF WOMAN'S FOREIGN MISSIONARY SOCIETY OF THE N. C. CONFERENCE.

Date. Place.
1879—Wilson, N. C.
1880—Winston-Salem, N. C.
1881—Durham, N. C.
1882—Raleigh, N. C.
1883—Durham, N. C.
1884—Wilmington, N. C.
1885—Raleigh, N. C.
1886—Goldsboro, N. C.
1887—Greensboro, N. C.
1888—New Bern, N. C.
1889—Charlotte, N. C.
1890—Henderson, N. C.
1891—Durham, N. C.
1892—Goldsboro, N. C.
1893—New Bern, N. C.
1894—Raleigh, N. C.
1895—Fayetteville, N. C.

Date. Place.
1896—Kinston, N. C.
1897—Littleton, N. C.
1898—Durham, N. C.
1899—New Bern, N. C.
1900—Wilmington, N. C.
1901—Wilson, N. C.
1902—Raleigh, N. C.
1903—Rockingham, N. C.
1904—Elizabeth City, N. C.
1905—Louisburg, N. C.
1906—Warrenton, N. C.
1907—Greenville, N. C.
1908—Goldsboro, N. C.
1909—Laurinburg, N. C.
1910—Roxboro, N. C.
1911—New Bern, N. C.
1912—Littleton, N. C.

ANNUAL SESSIONS OF WOMAN'S HOME MISSIONARY SOCIETY OF THE N. C. CONFERENCE.

Date. Place.
1902—Weldon, N. C.
1903—Raleigh, N. C.
1904—Selma, N. C.
1905—Wilmington, N. C.
1906—Fremont, N. C.
1907—Smithfield, N. C.

Date. Place.
1908—Durham, N. C.
1909—Louisburg, N. C.
1910—Elizabeth City, N. C.
1911—Raleigh, N. C.
1912—Weldon, N. C.

ANNUAL SESSIONS OF WOMAN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY OF NORTH CAROLINA CONFERENCE

Date. Place.
1913—Wilson, N. C.
1914—Durham, N. C.
1915—Rocky Mount, N. C.
1916—Kinston, N. C.

Date. Place.
1917—Wilmington, N. C.
1918—Raleigh, N. C.
1919—Rockingham, N. C.

NORTH CAROLINA CONFERENCE WOMEN WHO HAVE GONE TO THE FOREIGN FIELD.

Miss Ellen Morphis (Mrs. M. L. Wood*) (1859)	China.
Miss Lizzie Martin†	China.
Miss Alice Green (1912)	China.
Miss Sallie Lou McKinnon (1917)	China.
Miss Mary Pescud (Not now in active service.)	Brazil.
Miss Elizabeth Lamb (Not now in active service.)	Brazil.
Miss Elizabeth Davis†	Brazil.
Miss Ida Hankins (1911)	Korea.
Miss Rosa Lowder (1916)	Korea.
Miss Durham (Mrs. J. R. Moose)	Korea.
Miss Beatrice Jenkins†	Korea.
Miss Lillian Bridgers* (Mrs. S. A. Stewart)	Japan.
Miss Eva Williams (Mrs. W. K. Mathews)	Japan.

HOME FIELD.

Deaconess Ellen Gainey
Deaconess Sara Lowder
Miss Lula Marsh (City Missionary)

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†Married.

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WOMEN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY

NORTH CAROLINA CONFERENCE

WEDNESDAY—MORNING SESSION.

The Woman's Missionary Society of the North Carolina Conference convened in it's seventh annual session in the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, Rockingham, Wednesday morning, April 23, 1919, at ten o'clock. The President, Miss Elizabeth Lamb, presiding.

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper was administered by Rev. H. M. North, Presiding Elder of the Rockingham District, assisted by Rev. D. H. Tuttle, of Washington, N. C., and Rev. A. L. Ormond, of Rockingham, N. C.

"The Kingdom Is Coming' was sung by the Conference.

Miss Elizabeth Lamb led the Conference in a fervent prayer that the spirit of Christ would be made manifest in all the deliberations of the Conference sessions. The roll was called and the delegates were seated according to their respective districts.

The following officers and delegates were present:

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Memorial, Young People's Auxiliary—Miss Edna Robinson.
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Trinity Auxiliary No. 2—Mrs. Alpheus McCullen, Jr.
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Hertford, Young People—Miss Helen Newbold.
Gatesville Auxiliary—Mrs. J. L. Sawyer.
Wanchese Auxiliary—Mrs. T. G. Gaskell.
Wanchese Young People—Miss Rena Baum.

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Goldsboro, St. Paul's Young People—Miss Mary Emma Giddens.
Goldsboro, St. John's Auxiliary—Mrs. D. W. Cobb.
Goldsboro, St John's Young People—Miss Rossie Wrenn.
Mt. Olive Auxiliary—Mrs. Frank Culbreth, Mrs. E. N. Ricks, Mrs. W. F. Martin.
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Trenton Auxiliary—Miss Bonnie Loftin.
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Dunn Auxiliary—Mrs. H. O. Mattox.
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Mary Pescud Auxiliary—Miss Daisy Green.

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Oxford, Young People—Miss Lula Smith, Miss Elizabeth Hunt.
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Rockingham, Mary Steel Auxiliary—Mrs. H. F. Long, Mrs. Fred Dickinson.
Rockingham, Rebecca LeGrande Auxiliary—Miss Berta West.
Rockingham, Lillie Duke Auxiliary—Miss Martha Fletcher Biggs.
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Maxton, Young Women—Miss Emma Fine.
Biscoe Auxiliary—Mrs. W. B. Hicks.
Aberdeen Auxiliary—Mrs. Frank Page, Mrs. John H. Hall, Miss Emma Page.
Gibson Adult Auxiliary—Mrs. T. J. Adams, Mrs. W. H. Brown.
Gibson Young Women—Miss Allie Joyce.
Gibson Young People—Miss Willie May Meacham.
Lumberton Auxiliary—Mrs. E. P. Pool.

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Laurinburg, Young Women—Mrs. Ray Hammond.
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Hamlet Auxiliary—Mrs. Will Land.
Troy Auxiliary—Mrs. H. L. Boring.
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Rowland Young Women—Miss Hassie Smith.
Mt. Gilead Auxiliary—Mrs. L. P. Byrd, Mrs. N. C. Yearby, Mrs. R. P. Rankin.
Mt. Gilead Young Women—Miss Anna Ingram, Miss Jessie Haywood.
Lumberton, Young Women—Miss Epsie Fuller.
Raeford Auxiliary—Mrs. J. C. Thomas, Mrs. J. T. Jerome.
Raeford Young Women—Mrs. Marshall Thomas.
Fairmont Young Women—Miss Undine Draper, Miss Magenta Lassiter.

WASHINGTON DISTRICT—Mrs. Wiley Brown, Secretary.

Nashville Auxiliary—Mrs. T. B. Dameron, Miss Leyta Carter.
Wilson Auxiliary—Mrs. J. T. McCraw.
Spring Hope—Mrs. N. B. Finch, Mrs. Sallie May Wood.
Rocky Mount Adult Auxiliary—Mrs. E. S. Paddison, Mrs. R. H. Moore, Mrs. W. A. Cade.
Rocky Mount Young Woman's Auxiliary—Mrs. J. W. Aycock.
Farmville Auxiliary—Miss Marguerite Christman, Mrs. J. W. Parker.
Ayden Auxiliary—Mrs. Laura Turnage, Mrs. W. M. Edwards.
Fremont Auxiliary—Mrs. B. C. Scott.
Fremont Young People—Miss Martha Lane Hooks.

WARRENTON DISTRICT—Miss Amma D. Graham, Secretary.

Garysburg Auxiliary—Mrs. R. W. Bailey.
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Middleburg Auxiliary—Miss Sallie Smiley.
Norlina Auxiliary—Mrs. W. C. Merritt.
Seaboard Auxiliary—Mrs. M. R. Stephenson.
Severn Auxiliary, Mrs. J. B. Stephenson.

Weldon Auxiliary—Mrs. E. M. Snipes, Mrs. H. C. Spiers, Mrs. F. M. Shamberger.
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WILMINGTON DISTRICT—Mrs. C. H. Fore, Secretary.
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The following committees were named:

Extension of Work—Mrs. H. J. Boney, Chairman; Miss Amma Graham, Miss Vara Herring, Mrs. Wiley Brown, Mrs. J. N. Winslow, Mrs. A. M. Gates, Mrs. C. H. Fore, Mrs. Fred Mintz, Mrs. Emma Hunter and Presidents of Auxiliaries.

Young People's Work—Miss Lillie Duke, Chairman; Miss Mary Ella McCall, Miss Thelma Leggett, Miss Mattie Gibson, Miss Martha Lane Hooks, Miss Willie May Meacham, Miss Gladys Judd, Miss Jeddie May Bristow, Miss Tiny Fussell, Miss Rosebud Crump, Miss Martha Fletcher Biggs, Herbert Williamson, Miss Elizabeth Green, Miss Mildred McLeod, Miss Edna Robinson, Miss Bertha Proffitt, Miss Bess Stuart, Miss Nellie Swann, Miss Nolie Hunt, Miss Lula Smith, Miss Elizabeth Hunt and all First Vice-Presidents and young people.

Children's Work—Mrs. N. H. D. Wilson, Chairman; Mrs. E. S. Dail, Mrs. A. L. Newberry, Mrs. Homer Lyon, Mrs. Victor Montz, Mrs. E. A. Taylor, Mrs. D. K. Taylor, Mrs. Earnest Fergurson, Miss Epsey Fuller, Mrs. J. G. Gilkney, Mrs. T. P. Womack, Miss Allie Joyce, Miss Rena Baum, Mrs. W. A. Cade and all Second Vice Presidents.

Mission Study and Publicity—Mrs. T. A. Person, Chairman; all Superintendents of Mission Study and Publicity.

Social Service—Mrs. J. E. Stevick, Chairman; Mrs John D. Shaw, Mrs. E. N. Ricks and all Superintendents of Social Service.

Finance—Mrs. F. B. McKinnie, Chairman; Mrs. H. J. Faison, Mrs. E. L. Hart, Miss Emma Page.

By-Laws and Standing Rules—Mrs. R. B. John, Chairman; Mrs. R. W. Bailey, Mrs. B. C. Gorham.

Memoirs—Mrs. T. M. Shamberger, Mrs. R. W. Bailey, Mrs. F. P. Womack.

Courtesies—Miss Georgie Biggs, Mrs. W. P. Webb.

Resolutions—Mrs. E. C. Duncan, Chairman; Mrs. F. S. Love, Mrs. D. K. Taylor, Mrs. B. C. Thompson.

Pages—Miss Laura Page Steele, Miss Mary Stansill, Miss Rosa Parsons, Miss Jennie Parsons, Miss Wilma Stancill, Messrs Shepherd, Scales and Ormond.

The Minutes of the ad-interim Executive Committee meetings were read. Mrs. H. J. Boney, Corresponding Secretary, gave a report of the Council Meeting held in Memphis, Tenn., April 2-9, 1919. Miss May Edla Smith, Alternate for the President, Miss Lamb, told of her impressions of the Council.

Mrs. A. M. Gates made an explanation of the round table discussion which was to be conducted each day of the Conference Session. An earnest plea was made by Mrs. Gates for a large circulation of *The Young Christian Worker.*

Mrs. B. W. Lipscomb, Nashville, Tenn.; Miss Cordelia Erwin, Choon Chun, Korea; Mrs. M. E. Tilley, Atlanta, Ga.; Mrs. A. J. McKinnon, Maxton, N. C., and Mrs. C. W. Peppler, Durham, N. C., were introduced to the Conference.

Following the announcements, the Conference adjourned for the noon devotional, conducted by Mrs. W. C. Peppler.

"The Lord Is My Shepherd" was beautifully sung by Mrs. F. S. Love. Mrs. Peppler gave the Bible study based on the 29th verse of the 24th Chapter of St. Luke: "Abide with us, for it is toward evening and the day is far spent." This vital message brought to the Conference on the nearness of our Saviour and of what His presence meant to the disciples on that Resurrection Day, was a real inspiration to the Conference.

The last three verses of "Abide With Me" were sung by Mrs. Love, the congregation kneeling in prayer.

WEDNESDAY—AFTERNOON SESSION.

The Memorial Service was conducted by Mrs. H. C. Spiers. Mrs. F. M. Shamberger led in the responsive reading of the 90th Psalm. A message so full of hope and comfort was given by Mrs. Spiers, followed by a prayer led by Miss Amma Graham. Fifty Auxiliary members went to their reward during the past year and their names were placed on the Memorial Roll. Many expressions of love and esteem were

given to the memory of those who had served so beautifully among us.

The Conference was called to order by the President. Minutes of preceding session were read and approved.

Mrs. M. E. Tilley, Second Vice-President of the North Georgia Conference, gave an illustrated address, using as her subject "The Structure of Our Missionary work." It was made clear that the Baby Division, Junior Division and Young People's Work were the real foundation stones for the other parts of the Missionary Structure with its many varied parts.

The North Carolina Conference owes a great debt of thanks to the North Georgia Conference for the presence of Mrs. Tilley among us. A rising vote of thanks was given to Mrs. Tilley.

Miss Elizabeth Lamb made an urgent plea for the growth of the Woman's Missionary Society in the North Carolina Conference. Miss Lillie Duke, First Vice-President, gave a report of Young People's Work. (Officers' reports No. 3.)

The Brazilian National Flag, given by Miss Mary Pescud, and to be presented each year to the Young People's Auxiliary, making the highest average per capita, was won by the Rose Hill Auxiliary. Miss Mary Ella McCall, Student Volunteer from our own Conference, was introduced. A special prayer for Miss McCall and the other five Student Volunteers of the North Carolina Conference was led by Mrs. John.

Miss Cordelia Erwin told several intensely interesting stories of some boys and girls she had worked with in Korea.

Mrs. N. H. D. Wilson, Second Vice-President, read the report of the Children's Work. Report adopted. (Officers' reports No. 4.)

The Junior Division of Memorial Church, Durham, won the Chinese banner for the largest contribution. The Korean Banner was given to the Sanford Junior Division for the largest amount per member. Maysville won the Cuban Banner for the largest number of subscribers to *The Young Christian Worker*.

A letter of loving greetings from Mrs. Lula H. Rhodes was much appreciated.

The Secretary was instructed to send telegrams expressing the love of the Conference to Mrs. R. A. Willis, President Emerita and to Mrs. L. M. Hendren.

Following the announcements, the Conference adjourned.

THURSDAY—MORNING SESSION.

The Bible Lesson was given by Mrs. B. W. Lipscomb. The 11th Chapter of Mark, 20th to 26th verses, was the Lesson read. Our greatest need of prayer was so strongly emphasized by Mrs. Lipscomb—"The first demand of the Centenary being that we as Methodists must learn to pray again."

The President, Miss Lamb, called the Conference to order. Minutes of preceding Session were read and approved. Mrs. R. B. John made an announcement concerning the Centenary Luncheon, urging that the Conference be much in prayer for the messages of the afternoon.

Mrs. F. B. McKinne gave the Treasurer's report. (Officer's report No. 2.) Report adopted. The Conference rejoices over the fact that we had the best report in our history, which shows a total of $31,923.95 sent to the Council Treasurer and a grand total of $55,119.55.

Mrs. B. W. Lipscomb, Home Base Secretary, congratulated the Conference on this splendid report, assuring us that the North Carolina Conference held an exalted place in the Woman's Missionary Council.

Mrs. T. A. Person gave the report of Mission Study and Publicity. Report adopted. (Officer's report No. 5.) Mrs. Lipscomb told of some of the new Mission study books and of her material from the Home Base Department of great value to the Auxiliaries.

Mrs. H. J. Boney gave the report of the Corresponding Secretary. Report adopted. (Officers' report No. 1.) Only the two Georgia Conferences separate us from the best financial report sent to the Council Treasurer. The North Carolina Children for the fifth year lead Southern Methodism and our Young People stand eighth. A rising vote of thanks was given to Mrs. Boney for her work as Corresponding Secretary.

Mrs. R. L. Kirkwood, Corresponding Secretary of the South Carolina Conference; Mrs. C. E. Exum, District Secretary; Mrs. L. C. Breeden, Mrs. E. D. Moore, Miss Dixon, and Mrs. Marvin Moore, of Bennettsville, S. C., were introduced to the Conference. The Conference was delighted to hear Mrs. Kirkwood speak in special interest of the Scarritt Bible and Training School.

Mrs. J. E. Stevick read the report of Mrs. Walter Patten, Social Service Superintendent. Report adopted. (Officer's report No. 6.)

Mrs. E. L. Hart, Superintendent of Literature, gave her report. Report adopted. (Officer's reports No. 8.)

Mrs. E. M. Snipes read the report of Mrs. Ida Wilkins, Superintendent of Supplies. Report adopted. (Officer's report No. 7.)

The Secretary was instructed to send a telegram of loving greetings to Mrs. Ida Wilkins.

The Secretary read the report of Mrs. V. Royster, Editor of the Advocate Page. Report adopted. (Officer's report No. 9.)

The eight efficient, faithful District Secretaries present stood before the Conference and made their reports.

Mrs. A. M. Gates gave the report for the Durham District. (District Secretaries' reports No. 1.)

The Elizabeth City District was reported by Mrs. J. N. Winslow. (District Secretaries' report No. 2.)

Mrs. Emma Hunter, of the Fayetteville District, read her report. (District Secretaries' reports No. 3.)

The New Bern District report was given by Mrs. Fred Mintz. (District Secretaries' report No. 4.)

Miss Vara Herring made the report for the Raleigh District. (District Secretaries report No. 5.)

The Warrenton District was reported by Miss Amma Graham. (District Secretaries' report No. 7.)

Mrs. Wiley Brown read the report for the Washington District. (District Secretaries' report No. 8.)

The Wilmington District report was given by Mrs. C. H. Fore. Reports adopted.

Mrs. A. M. Gates led the round table discussion. Mrs. B. W. Lipscomb and Miss Elizabeth Lamb answering the two outstanding questions: (1st) How to interest women who are not interested in the Missionary Societies;(2nd) How to interest the parents in the work for Children and Young People. Announcements were made and the Conference adjourned.

It was a joy to the Conference to hear Mrs. F. S. Love sing, "I Walk With the King."

"Our Sufficiency is with God" was the subject of Mrs. Peppler's devotional message. She proved to the Conference in her pleasing, convincing way, that neither pleasure, work, friendship, intellectual attainment or self were sufficient for life's problems—but that "I can do all things through Christ, who strengthens me."

"Jesus Calls Us O'er The Tumult" was sung. Mrs. A. M. Gates dismissed the Conference with prayer.

THURSDAY AFTERNOON—2:30–5:30.

CENTENARY LUNCHEON.

Inspiration for this Centenary Luncheon had come from no less a source than from Mrs. Mary L. Hargrove, Associate

Secretary of the Centenary. So it was with eager expectations that the North Carolina Conference had looked toward the occasion.

Three hundred women, far more anxious to learn "more and more" of the great Centenary than even for the very pleasant social feature of lunching together, crowded the dining hall of the Rockingham Hotel.

The Conference was glad that Mrs. R. B. John was Toast Mistress. Her thought, her graciousness, contributed no small part to the success of the splendid occasion.

Following the singing of America, prayer was led by Rev. H. M. North, solos by Mrs. F. S. Love and Miss Ormond were much enjoyed.

Mrs. John introduced Mrs. Lipscomb, our Council representative, as the first speaker. Mrs. Lipscomb made it plain that Christianity has a place in the world that it has never had before; that women in the Church of God have a chance today they have never had before and that Womanhood, Childhood and Manhood can do anything if they have a chance.

Miss Cordelia Erwin spoke out of her intimate experiences on "What the Centenary Would Mean to the Orient."

Mrs. W. P. Webb, of Rockingham, discussed the individual effort which the Centenary needed.

Miss Jeddie May Bristow, of Carolina College, spoke on "The Challenge of the Centenary."

Miss Emma Page very cleverly reminded us of a wonderful "Birthday Party" on the 18th of May, to which two millions of Methodists were invited.

Mrs. A. M. Gates, of Durham, told us that it is "Me and the Lord" on whom the Centenary depends.

Mrs. T. A. Person, of Greenville, spoke on the "Centenary Being Divinely Planned."

Each speaker brought new thought, fresh inspiration and a deeper force that will add impetus to the work which the women of the North Carolina Conference can do to strengthen the marvelous opportunities of the Centenary.

With a deeper earnestness of purpose and with a new realization of the meaning of Julia Ward Howe's words, as a closing message, there rang out those soul stirring words:

"Glory! glory, hallelujah! His truth is marching on."

FRIDAY—MORNING SESSION.

Devotional Services were conducted by Mrs. B. W. Lipscomb. "Lord Speak To Me, That I May Speak" was sung. Several fervent sentence prayers were offered. Malachi,

3rd Chapter, 7-12 and 16-18, was read responsively. Mrs. Lipscomb led the Conference in prayer.

Conference called to order by the President. Minutes were read and approved.

Messrs. Ormond, Scales and Shepherd were introduced as pages for the day. Applause greeted the news of the splendid work they are doing among the Young People of Rockingham.

Mrs. N. H. D. Wilson read interesting clippings from a letter written at Virginia School, Huchow, China, by our much loved Miss Sallie Lou McKinnon. A rising vote of appreciation for the service which Miss McKinnon is giving to China was given by the Conference. Mrs. H. J. Faison was asked to lead a special prayer for Miss McKinnon.

The following telegrams were read:

Hamlet, N. C., April 23, 1919.

Miss Elizabeth Lamb,
President, Woman's Missionary Conference,
Rockingham, North Carolina.
Greetings:
I'm thinking of you daily. See I Cor. 16th, 24.

Mrs. Allen Powers.

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Elizabeth City, N. C., April 24, 1919.

Woman's Missionary Society,
Rockingham, North Carolina.
I am praying for you. Read 2nd Theses. 2-6.

Mrs. R. A. Willis.

Thoughtful greetings were read from Mrs. S. I. Harrell, President of Philadelphia Auxiliary, Elizabeth City District.

Mrs. John D. Shaw read the report of the Rockingham District. Report adopted. (District Secretaries' report No. 6.)

Mrs. H. J. Faison read extracts from intensely interesting letters of Mrs. Ellen Morphis Wood. Rev. and Mrs. M. L. Wood, of N. C., with Dr. and Mrs. Young J. Allen, of Georgia, formed the first party which was ever sent out as foreign Missionaries by the M. E. Church, South. The Conference keenly appreciates the copy of these letters and a sketch of Mrs. Wood's life, which was presented by Mr. Wood (son of Rev. M. L. Wood) now residing in Rockingham, N. C. Mrs. LeGrand Everett spoke of the Missionary influence which a daughter of Mrs. Wood had exerted over the town of Rockingham. The motion was carried that some of these letters be published in *The Raleigh Advocate*.

Miss Emma Page, Mrs. H. F. Long, Mrs. H. J. Faison and Miss Vara Herring were appointed tellers for the election of officers. Mrs. B. W. Lipscomb was called to the chair. Rev.

H. M. North led the Conference in prayer that God's will would lead in choosing the officers for the coming year.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

President—Mrs. A. M. Gates.

Vice-President—Miss May Edla Smith.

Corresponding Secretary—Mrs. H. J. Boney.

Recording Secretary—Mrs. E. M. Snipes.

Treasurer—Mrs. F. B. McKinne.

Superintendent of Young People's Work—Miss Lillie Duke.

Superintendent of Children's Work—Mrs. N. H. D. Wilson.

Superintendent of Mission Study and Publicity—Mrs. T. A. Person.

Superintendent of Social Service—Mrs. E. C. Duncan.

Superintendent of Supplies—Mrs. Ida Wilkins.

The Conference adjourned for the noon Devotional Hour.

The Conference again enjoyed a beautiful solo by Mrs. F. S. Love.

The subject of Mrs. Peppler's Bible Lesson was the story of the "Home at Bethany." "Be still and know that I am God" had reached its full maturity in Mary's heart and had caused her to give this sublime expression of her Saviour's love. Mrs. Peppler led us to know that Mary's act, when she annointed the feet of her Lord, will live through the ages as precious to Christ and that the words "She hath done what she could" would always live as the highest words of praise. Mrs. Peppler's messages of consecration have touched deeply the heart of the Conference.

"O Love That Will Not Let Me Go" was sung and Miss Lamb dismissed the Conference with prayer.

FRIDAY—AFTERNOON SESSION.

Conference called to order by the President. Minutes of Morning Session read and approved.

Miss Emma Page led the prayer.

Committee on Extension of Work read by Miss Amma Graham. Report adopted. (Committee reports No. 1.)

Miss Thelma Leggett read the report for Committee on Young People's Work. Report adopted. (Committee reports No. 3.)

Mrs. T. B. Dameron read report for Committee on Children's Work. Report adopted. (Committee reports No. 4.)

Report of Committee on Social Service read by Mrs. J. E. Stevick. Report adopted. (Committee reports No. 6.)

Report of Committee on Mission Study and Publicity read by Mrs. T. A. Person. Report adopted. (Committee reports No. 5.)

Finance Committee report read by Mrs. H. J. Faison. Report adopted. (Committee reports No. 2.)

Mrs. E. C. Duncan read the report for the Committee on Resolutions. Report adopted by a rising vote.

Committee on By-Laws and Standing Rules report was read by Mrs. R. B. John. Report adopted. (Committee reports No. 8.)

The report on Memoirs given by Mrs. F. M. Shamberger. (Committee reports No. 7.)

Oxford, St. Paul's, Goldsboro and Nashville extended invitations for the next Annual Meeting. By standing vote, the Conference decided to go to Oxford. The time for holding the next annual meeting was left to be decided by the Executive Committee, District Secretaries and the Oxford Auxiliaries.

Mrs. M. T. Plyler, Mrs. N. H. D. Wilson and Mrs. Ida Wilkins were named as a Historical Committee for the Conference.

By acclamation, Mrs. E. L. Hart was elected Superintendent of Literature and Mrs. V. Royster Editor of the Advocate Page.

The following were named for the District Secretaries:

Durham District—Miss Mattie Pulliam.

Elizabeth City District—Mrs. George Hawkins.

Fayetteville District—Mrs. Emma Hunter.

New Bern District—Mrs. Fred Mintz.

Raleigh District—Miss Vara Herring.

Rockingham District—Miss Georgie Biggs.

Warrenton District—Miss Amma Graham.

Washington District—Mrs. Wiley Brown.

Wilmington District—Mrs. C. H. Fore.

The District Secretaries made the pledges for 1919 as follows:

Durham District	$2,000.
Elizabeth City District	1,400.
Fayetteville District	1,000.
New Bern District	2,000.
Raleigh District	3,000.
Rockingham District	3,500.
Warrenton District	1,750.
Washington District	1,500.
Wilmimgton District	1,500.

There being no other business, the Conference adjourned. Rev. H. M. North dismissed the Conference with prayer.

EVENING SERVICES.

TUESDAY EVENING.

The first service of an annual meeting is always an exceptionally happy one, for is it not the beginning of the Conference to which we have looked and thought and prayed for all of twelve months? Former acquaintances are again brought face to face, new acquaintances with such a oneness of purpose to unite them, are instantly in a company of lifelong friends. Thus the old and the young; the woman who serves through the country church; the woman who works in the city church, through service they have tried to render in His name, are one happy family circle. The Rockingham Church in every way was sincerely the home to which each delegate and visitor felt the welcome which Rev. A. L. Ormond and Mrs. W. P. Webb expressed in such a genuine manner.

Mrs. H. J. Boney expressed deep appreciation for the cordial welcome Rockingham had given the Conference.

Beautiful music by the choir was greatly enjoyed.

The part of the evening's program to which we had looked with happiest anticipations was the sermon by Rev. D. H. Tuttle, of Washington, N. C. He needs no introduction to the members of the North Carolina Conference. During thirty-two years he has practiced "Tithing." Therefore he could preach from the depth of his heart and experience and with his vigor and earnestness on our obligations to God. The large congregation who greeted him will not forget his interpretation of "Will a man rob God? Yet ye have robbed Me. But ye say, Wherein have we robbed Thee? In tithes and offerings."

WEDNESDAY EVENING.

The Bible Lesson was given by Mrs. R. B. John. Mrs. B. W. Lipscomb gave the first address of the evening on "Our Home Field." As we heard of fifty millions of unchurched, unsaved people in our own land, with our effort to reach 2,000,000 foreign born people to whom the Southern Methodist Church is called to minister, we were made to realize the power of Mrs. Lipscomb's words when she declared: "If there ever was a time when America needs to stand for Home Missions and service to God, it is today."

The strength of Mrs. Lipscomb's address should cause the North Carolina Conference to study more closely and seriously the salvation of America.

"The Call of Korea" was graphically given in an intensely interesting address by Miss Cordelia Erwin, a Kentucky

young woman who has given splendid service to Korea during the last twelve years. Among the many needs of Korea, Miss Erwin pointed out that civilization was not enough, but there must be christianization. (2) That Koreans may come to know God and that He is love because their hearts are hungry for something to worship. (3) Many, many more Missionaries to make clear the news of Jesus Christ and to help the splendid native christians. (4) More schools for girls, for there are no schools for girls except those established by mission boards. (5) Hospitals, because disease runs riot in Korea. (6) A publishing house. The printed page is an urgent necessity. There are a few papers but they are all for the men. Few know how to read before being converted or before going to the mission schools.

The presence of Miss Erwin was a blessing to our Conference. The spirit of Christ shone in her happpy face and spoke to us through her words of consecration. The North Carolina Conference will love and pray for her not alone for what she meant to us, but more for what her earnest, sincere life will mean to Korea.

"The Call of Korea" was answered by Miss Erwin's closing words: "Have we done what we could? Have you? Have I?

THURSDAY EVENING.

"He Knows It All" was sweetly sung by Mrs. H. F. Long and Mrs. Frank Leak. Miss Mary Ella McCall gave a very impressive Bible Lesson.

"Fruits of our Work" was a very interesting and convincing part of the program. Four girls from the Rockingham Young People's Auxiliary and Miss Erwin, in native costumes, representing student life in Bevard Institute, Holding Institute, Brazil, China and Korea, told something of their life stories.

A Stereoptican lecture on "World Conditions" was given by Mrs. B. W. Lipscomb. In her inimitable way Mrs. Lipscomb made us acquainted, through our eyes, with many of the direct results of missionary endeavors. The Conference appreciated deeply the vital information which the pictures carried and much gratitude is due Mrs. Lipscomb for her interest in giving them to us.

Mrs. Lipscomb's messages during each day were a constant delight and inspiration. The North Carolina Conference stands ready at all times to give her a hearty, thrice glad welcome.

In Memoriam

MRS. J. W. LAMB
MRS. B. E. SIDBERRY
MRS. J. J. POWERS
MRS. T. W. CROWSON
MRS. D. H. HAY
Hay Street Auxiliary, Fayetteville.

MRS. JAMES WREN
MRS. GEORGE HENDERSON
MRS. LAMB
Siler City Auxiliary.

MRS. E. R. BUCHAN
Sanford Auxiliary.

MRS MARY D. EASON
MRS. BESSIE SMITH
MRS. ISABELLE PARTIN
St. Paul's Auxiliary, Goldsboro.

MRS. T. P. CHAMBERS
MRS. J. M. LUMLEY
St. John's Auxiliary, Goldsboro.

MRS. WINNIE SUGGS
Queen Street Auxiliary, Kinston.

MRS. MARY HANDCOCK
MRS. W. M. LEWIS
Morehead City Auxiliary.

MRS. V. A. BENTON
MRS. J. D. PARKER
MRS. W. W. JORDAN
Smithfield Auxiliary.

MISS ANNIE M. ALSTON
Littleton Auxiliary.

MRS. EDNA JEANNETTE
Calypso Auxiliary.

MRS. J. E. TUCKER
Yanceville Ausiliary.

MRS. R. B. GASQNE
MISS ANNIE STEELE
Rockingham Auxiliary.

MRS. J. W. WYNN
Murfreesboro Auxiliary.

MRS. ELLA H. FULLER
MRS. W. G. PACE
Maria Brown Auxiliary, Oxford.

MRS. JOHN A. JEFFRIES
Selma Auxiliary.

MRS. W. E. WEBB
Louisburg Auxiliary.

MRS. CARRIE CREWS
Salem Auxiliary.

MRS. J. F. BUSSELLS
Grace Auxiliary, Wilmington.

MRS. EDITH BRANSON
MRS. I. B. BUFFALOE
Central Auxiliary, Raleigh.

MRS. W. B. WRIGHT
MRS. MARTHA MORRIS
Edenton Street Auxiliary, Raleigh.

MRS. G. O. PITTS
Zebulon Auxiliary.

MRS. T. W. LEE
MRS. VIRGINIA C. GEROCK
Maysville Auxiliary.

MRS. JOHN L. SAWYER
MRS. WARREN JENNETTE
First Church Auxiliary, Elizabeth City.

MRS. LENNON
Manteo Auxiliary.

MRS. HUNTER
Anderson's Auxiliary.

MRS. J. H. FRIZZELLE
Vineland Auxiliary.

MRS. BESSIE GURLEY
Windsor Auxiliary.

MRS. P. M. ELLIS
MRS. R. J. AIKEN
Memorial Auxiliary, Durham.

MRS. THOMAS PARKER
Laurinburg Auxiliary.

MRS. J. M. HOBGOOD
MRS. R. T. MARTIN
Farmville Auxiliary.

MRS. H. C. SULLIVAN
Minnie Wilson Auxiliary, Hertford.

OFFICER'S REPORTS

REPORT OF CORRESPONDING SECRETARY.

(No. 1.)

CHART OF WORK REPORTED 1918

DISTRICTS.	Adult Auxiliaries.	Members.	Young People Auxiliaries.	Members.	Junior Division.	Members.	Baby Division.	Members.	Total Organizations.	Sub-Voice.
Durham	26	600	4	100	8	226	4	35	42	163
Elizabeth City	19	386	4	77	15	385	5	69	43	116
Fayetteville	11	317	6	90	9	193	4	64	30	115
New Bern	16	603	3	69	9	249	5	67	33	175
Raleigh	22	640	10	149	16	376	7	98	55	134
Rockingham	22	576	10	236	18	499	6	58	56	284
Washington	18	559	11	147	14	359	5	78	48	77
Warrenton	30	594	5	87	19	446	7	70	61	134
Wilmington	17	436	5	52	10	253	5	74	37	136
Total	181	4711	58	1007	118	2986	48	613	405	1334

For the first time in many years we paid the pledge with a surplus. Every district paid in full with Rockingham leading. The North Carolina Conference sent $32,123.95 to Council Treasurer. South Georgia has always led the Conferences in finances and in 1918 North Carolina's pledge was second, though North Georgia's Specials number more than ours. In 1919 all specials will count as pledge and your council delegates dared pledge $20,000. North Georgia pledged $23,000. How we hated to pledge less than North Georgia. We are hoping that our Conference will raise considerably more than we pledged this year. Let us have greater faith.

North Carolina Conference ranks third among the Conferences of Southern Methodism, Young People rank eighth and again our Bright Jewels lead in finances. North Carolina Conference is recognized as one of the best and most loyal in the connection. This past year we met every obligation and have gone forward as never before. The work at times seemed hard and the responsibility almost too great, but I could always hear the voice of the Deaconess who said, "Give my Lord and me any task and we will perform it." To you Christ-like women of the great North Carolina Conference, I wish to give thanks for your loyal support and for the confidence which has made the carrying out of plans possible.

Miss Bennett asked us to take for our slogan, "I, the Lord thy God, will hold thy right hand, fear not."

Organization.

There is a net increase of 14 new Auxiliaries and 484 adult members. Warrenton District having gained 8 of the Auxiliaries, Durham 4, Raleigh 1, Elizabeth City 1, and Fayetteville 1. Other districts lost and gained but remained the same in number.

Week of Prayer.

Although many Auxiliaries were prevented from meeting at all during the fourth quarter on account of sickness. We had 58 Auxiliaries to observe week of Prayer. Durham District leading with 15 Auxiliaries contributing to the week of Prayer fund. Raleigh reported 13 and Rockingham 11.

Harvest Day.

A large percent of our Auxiliaries observed Harvest Day. We continue to urge this to be held in the early part of December. May we be able to report an increase of at least 15% in members and offerings on next Harvest Day.

Scarritt Bible and Training School.

We did not do anything special for Scarritt this year, but, Oxford Auxiliary and one other sent boxes during the year. Surely we will be pleased to support one of our own girls there during 1919-1920.

District Meeting.

The District and Group Meetings were well attended. The Secretaries seemed to put forth greater efforts to make the programs attractive and there was greater earnestness of purpose and spirituality in the meetings than ever before. Too much praise can not be given these worthy laborers in His vineyard. Truly He can say unto them, "Well done thy good and faithful servants."

MRS. H. J. BONEY.

TREASURERS REPORT.

(No. 2.)

December 31st, 1919.

Dues:

Adult	$ 8,715.06	
Young People	611.36	
Junior Division	1,070.54	
Baby Division	45.41	
Life Memberships	25.00	
Memorial Mary Black Hospital	10.00—	$ 10,477.37

Pledge:

Adult	$ 12,687.33	
Young People	874.32	
Junior Division	1,908.55	
Baby Division	203.26	
Transferred from Conference Ex. Fund	500.00—	$ 16,173.46

Scholarships:

Pat Leak	$ 40.00	
Lucile R. Williams	40.00	
Lillie Duke	50.00	
Della Bobbitt	40.00	
Hortense Rodgers	100.00	
Mary Pescud	40.00	
Zung	100.00	
Brevard	105.00	
Deaconess	6.40—	$ 521.40

Schools:

Reavis Day School	$ 200.00	
Joy Hardee Bible School	172.65	
Kindegarden in Japan	94.50	
Medical in China	80.00—	$ 547.15

Bible Women:

In Memory of Mrs. Malene Harrell Grant	$ 75.00	
Roxanna Humble	63.00	
Helen Fitts	120.00	
Lou Hill Davis	60.00	
Isadore Sills	56.50	
Mrs. Humber	60.00	
No Name, New Bern District	60.00	
No Name, Aurora Auxiliary	60.00	
No Name, Nashville Auxiliary	60.00	
No Name, Farmville Auxiliary	59.75	
Evangelistic Helper Durham District	300.00	
Undirected Special	8.48—	$ 982.73

Retirement and Relief:

Adult	$ 344.96	
Young People	42.10—	$ 387.06

Week of Prayer:

Adult	$ 1,459.83	
Young People	67.29—	$ 1,527.12

Scarritt Endowment:			
Adult	$ 259.86		
Young People	22.00	—$	281.86
Scarrett Band Room		—$	25.80
Mrs. Zimmerman's Estate		—$	1,000.00
TOTAL		—$	31,923.95
Remitted to General Treasurer		—$	31,923.95
Conference Expense Fund:			
Balance from 1917	$ 670.63		
Adult	1,245.77		
Young People	104.50	—$	2,020.90
Expenses for Year:			
Printing	$ 195.95		
Conference Officers	939.42		
Transferred to Pledge	500.00		
Balance on Hand	385.53	—$	2,020.90
Summary:			
Receipts from Auxiliaries	$ 32,748.42		
Balance from 1917	696.43	—$	33,444.85
Remitted Council Treasurer	$ 31,923.95		
Our Expenses	1,135.37	—$	33,059.32
Balance on Hand		$	385.53
Received from Auxiliaries 1918		—$	32,748.42
Received from Auxiliaries 1917		—$	27,883.16
Increase		$	4,865.26
Grand Total, 1918:			
Auxiliaries	$ 32,748.42		
Local Work	22,371.13	—$	55,119.55
Grand Total, 1917:			
Auxiliaries	$ 27,883.16		
Local Work	13,110.33	—$	40,993.49
Grand Total Increase		$	14,126.06

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. F. B. McKINNE, Treasurer.

F. J. BEASLEY, Auditor.

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF YOUNG PEOPLE'S WORK.

(No. 3)

In spite of the many difficulties that confronted us during 1918 the young people of the North Carolina Conference have gone forward in their work with a zeal and enthusiasm that knows no defeat and so have made this the biggest and best year of their history.

And now in this great Centenary Movement, shall we not pray for a larger vision that will lead us on to a still higher and holier inspiration for the wonderful opportunities that await us in 1919. Shall we not throw ourselves mightily into great spiritual warfare and so give of our very best to hasten the day when all the nations of the earth shall "crown Him Lord of all".

And will not you, my co-workers, help these young people to realize what a mighty force they are and the need the church has for everyone of them? Will not some good woman in every church, whether there be an Adult Auxiliary or not, volunteer to enlist the young people at least during this Centenary Movement, impressing upon them the magnitude of the work and the responsibility that rests upon each one of them? This is your opportunity—what will you do with it?

It is gratifying to believe that one of the best reasons for much of our success during the year is due to the fact that so many Auxiliaries sent representatives to the Annual and District Meetings. Special mention is here given to those who reported: Biscoe, Blue Birds, (Fayetteville); Carthage, Carolina College, Eureka, Elizabeth Lamb (Louisburg); Hay Street (Fayetteville); Edenton Street (Raleigh); Fremont, Fifth Street (Wilmington); Greenville Gibson Kenly, Lillie Duke (Rockingham); Louisburg No. 1, Littleton College, Middlesex, Memorial (Durham); Manteo M. E. Orphanage Prospect Plank Chapel, Raeford, Roxboro, Rose Hill, Rebecca LeGrand (Rockingham); St. Johns, Spring Hope, Sanford St. Pauls (Goldsboro); Trenton, Wesleyan Duaghters (Louisburg), Wilson, Weldon and Yanceyville.

The following Auxiliaries—Trenton, Louisburg No. 1, Gibson and Rose Hill have made the "Honor Roll" are entitled not only to special mention, but are given by the Coucil Superintendent of Young People's Work the beautiful "Ribbon Flyers", which is her gift each year to the Auxiliaries reaching the "Standard of Excellence".

Rockingham is the banner District for having raised the largest amount of money during the year—$454.59. Wilmington District claims the largest amount per capita—$2.39, and the Durham District as second with $2.30 per capita.

Sanford is the banner Auxiliary with $136.05 to her credit. Memorial follows with $116.50, and Louisburg is third with $100.25.

St. Pauls (Goldsboro), raised the largest amount per member—$6.33, followed by Rebecca LeGrand (Rockingham), with $4.95, and the Lillie Duke (Rockingham), with $4.81.

Our own Miss Mary Pescud, who was for several years our representative in Brazil, has presented to the young people of North Carolina Conference a "Brazilian Banner" to be given each year to the Auxiliary making the highest average on the "Honor Roll". And so it is now my pleasure and privilege to present this banner to the Rose Hill Young People, and I heartily congratulate them on their spendid success of 1918.

Auxiliaries paying during year $100.00 or more: Memorial (Durham), Sanford, Louisburg No. 1.

Auxiliaries paying during year $75.00 to $100.00: St. Pauls (Goldsboro), Carolina College (Maxton), St. Johns.

Auxiliaries paying $50.00 to $75.00 per year: Gibson, Rebecca LeGrand (Rockingham), Prospect, Wesleyan Daughters, Weldon.

Auxiliaries paying $25.00 to $50.00 per year: Roxboro, Yanceyville, Anderson, Hertford, Hay Street (Fayetteville), Trenton, Cary, Oxford, Lillie Duke (Rockingham), Raeford, Wilson, Rose Hill, Richlands, Fifth Ave. (Wilmington), Plank Chapel.

Auxiliaries paying $10.00 to $25.00 per year: Kittrell, Blue Birds (Fayetteville), Edenton Street (Raleigh), Kenly, M. E. Orphange, Mamie Gill (Laurinburg), Biscoe, Fairmont, Warrenton, Eureka, Fremont, Greenville, Nashville, Wallace.

Auxiliaries paying less than $10.00 per year: Manteo, Carthage, Dunn, Camp Grounds (Fayetteville) (recently organized), Smiths Chapel (Mt. Olive) (recently organized), Elizabeth Lamb (Fayetteville), Middlesex, Mt. Gilead, Littleton, Littleton College, Arcola, Aurora, Bethel, Bonnerton, Farmville, Spring Hope, Warren Chapel (Blounts Creek), Ida Hawkins (Wilmington).

Number of Auxiliaries in the Conference	58
Number of new Auxiliaries in the Conference	16
Number of members in the Conference	1007
Number observing Week of Prayer	14
Number Mission Study Classes	7
Number boxes of supplied sent off	3
Number District meetings attended	4
Number of volunteers for Christian Service	5
Number Auxiliaries having delegates to Annual District Meetings	36
Number Auxiliaries obtaining Honor Roll	4

Financial Report.

Dues	$611.36
Pledges	873.82
Cary Fund	104.50
Retirement and Relief	42.10
Scarrett	22.00
Week of Prayer	67.29
Total	$1,721.07

Local Work.

Local Relief	$236.53
Parsonage	35.00
Church	108.25
Delegates Expenses	46.80
Supplies	64.50
Red Cross	2.50
Service Flag	4.00
Total	$497.58

LILLIE DUKE, Conference Sup't of Young People's Work.

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF CHILDREN'S WORK.

(No. 4.)

In spite of war and pestilence, the Children's Department of the Woman's Missionary Society of the North Carolina Conference has gone forward during 1918, having again led the children of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, in their contributions for Missions. We are proud of this record and of the fine body of Second Vice-Presidents which have made it possible, and congratulate both the children and their leaders. They have accomplished great things for God, and He will give them their reward. But we must do even better the present year or we may lose the place of leadership which we have held for so many years. One of the Georgia Conferences is close upon our heels and will overtake us if we do not go forward.

Sixteen new bands were organized during the year; but as seventeen bands died for lack of some one to take charge of them, we do not report a gain, but even a loss of one. It is sad but true that some of our Woman's Societies neglect the children's work and the whole church work suffers. My dear women, please see to it that some one who both can and will attend to this important work is put in charge of the children, and then give to these leaders, whom you have chosen, your cordial co-operation. If for any reason the one chosen can not give her attention to it, I beg that the Auxiliary do not permit this failure to lead to the going down of the band, but that another who can and will attend to the work be selected.

Another matter in which the women can greatly aid our work. Only about five hundred subscribers to the Young Christian Worker were reported, and some of these seem to have expired during the year as the publishers give us credit for less than five hundred. I could hardly state in too emphatic language the importance and worth of this paper. It should be in every home where there are children. Indeed, I feel sure that if it were more widely read by our women there would be more and deeper interest shown by them in the children's work.

On account of influenza few reported having observed the Week of Prayer. Also few report having study circles. We expect to do better in these respects this year.

Memorial Church, Durham, has won the banner for the largest contribution, $165.47. Centenary, New Bern, is second with $144.05. The following have raised One Hundred Dollars or more: Memorial, $165.47; Centenary, $144.05; Franklinton, $112.15; the two societies at Dunn, $100.00; Kinston, $100.00; and Wilson, $100.00. Sanford wins the banner for raising the greatest amount per member, $4.24. Maysville, one of our newer bands, wins the Cuban Banner for the most subscribers to the Young Christian Worker. This band with only 31 members has thirty-seven subscribers to the paper. Somebody did good work there. Many of the bands did excellent work and deserve mention but space is precious and their record appears in the Statistical Report which accompanies this.

The summary of our work for the year shows forty-eight Baby Divisions with six hundred and thirteen members, and one hundred and eighteen Junior Divisions with two thousand nine hundred and eighty six members. Last year we had three thousand three hundred and eighty members in the Junior Divisions. Why this loss? Who is to blame? Let each of us resolve that the future shall see no such decline. But I am glad to say the gifts show an advance. The Baby Divisions raised in enrollment fees $45.41 and on their pledges, $203.26. The Juniors in dues $1,070.54, and on their pledge, $1,908.55. The grand total being $3,237.76.

I wish to thank my co-workers, the faithful Auxiliary Second Vice-Presidents for making this report possible. And I confidently call on them for the zealous and loyal labor which will give the children an honorable place in the Centenary work. This year of grateful memories and vast opportunities calls on every Methodist to do his utmost. We do not wish our children to fail and fall behind. For this reason and because of the World's need and the Master's command, I entreat both the Second Vice-Presidents and all the women of our Society to aid and encourage the children of the North Carolina Conference that they may do their part to send the story of the Christ Child to the children of all lands.

Respectfully submitted,
MRS. N. H. D. WILSON.

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF MISSION STUDY AND PUBLICITY.

(No. 5.)

In looking over some of our Centenary literature the other day, and realizing the great and wonderful thing that is before us, the thought was driven home to me, why have we been so slow in stressing Mission Study? As your Superintendent it came to me as a most poigniant question. Have we as a Conference given it the attention we should? Do we realize that it is the key to the situation?

The ripened fruit of Mission Study is correct knowledge of our Mission Work. Knowledge leads to enthusiasm, enthusiasm to prayer, and prayer to larger gifts of money, time and self.

It is as true today as when Hosea spoke the words: "My people perish for lack of knowledge." Do we believe it? Do we believe that Christian Missions is the only panacea for a world sick and staggering under a load of sin, ignorance, vice, superstition, idolatry and atheism. Then it behooves us to be up and doing. The Macedonian call is heard. Christian missions is the biggest subject in the universe, and it looms larger and larger upon our horizon. It challenges the best that is in us. It is the teachings of Jesus Christ and Him only which must finally settle all international affairs. Nothing else will keep them settled. Ours, then, is a mighty task, but we are a mighty people, and our God is a mighty God.

Let us, then, stress Mission Study this year as never before. Its possibilities are limitless. Equipment for best service lies only in an intelligent grasp of the situation, and this the study class supplies.

I beg you, then, in this our great Centenary year accept the work of Superintendent in your Auxiliary. Do not be afraid to undertake it. We learn by doing. We learn to speak by speaking, to write by writing, and thought finds language.

Again be willing to fail, if need be, for Jesus Christ's sake. A feeble effort will be followed by a better one, and by study and prayer this large opportunity for service may be a blessing in your life and in the lives of the women whose vision of life and God has been enlarged by your service in His name.

Again, we must stress publicity. What power there is in the printed page. We knew it of course all along, but it took the United States Government to send home the lesson. I ask you to look back on the publicity work of our Uncle Sam in the Liberty Loan and other campaigns and apply the lesson. And just as truly as publicity unlocked pocket books and turned billions of dollars into the nation's treasury, so also will it in our work create a new interest, arouse greater enthusiasm and inspire a deeper prayer life among our members and cause larger gifts to flow into our Lord's treasury. Surely it is one of our greatest opportuntiies. Let us then make larger use of the printed page and publish through the columns of church and secular papers what is being done through our organization for spreading the gospel, for the uplift of humanity, publishing the organized effort of the women of our church to give education to women and girls and to make it possible for them to live under conditions in which manhood and womanhood may be developed.

Reporting.

Again, I find it necessary to stress the quarterly reports. No matter how interesting your class or how up-to-date your methods, much of the force of your study is lost if you fail to report it through the proper channel.

This has been and is still one of the weak points of this department, especially among the young peoples' and children's classes.

Do not be satisfied with merely doing the work. It is just as essential to report the work which has already been done. Send in your reports properly filled out at the right time. I mean by that, please state the District name of Auxiliary, name and post office of Superintendent and number in class. Attention to these details will greatly facilitate matters.

Some Statistics.

The Bulletin has gone out monthly.

Leaflets on Mission Study have gone out twice.

Lists of Mission Study books have gone out twice.

Report blanks and post cards quarterly.

Many personal letters have been written stressing the subject.

Many personal requests for literature and helps have been answered.

One circular letter of three hundred copies has been sent out.

I had the pleasure of presenting Mission Study at three District Meetings, New Bern at Oriental, Washington at Wilson and Fayetteville at Dunn.

The following books have been recommended for study 1919-1920:

"The Crusade for Compassion," Dr. Belle J. Allen.

"Christian Americanization, the Task of the Churches," Dr. Chas. Brooks.

"Adventures of Faith in Foreign Fields," Dr. Edmond Leigh Pell.

"Making America Safe," Goddard & McDonnell.

"Money the Acid Test," David M. Conaughy.

Senior Y. P.

"Adventures of Faith on Foreign Fields," Pell.

"Making America Safe," Goddard & MacDonnell.

Intermediates.

"Making Life Count," Eugene Foster.

"Brother Van," Brummit.

Juniors.

"Mook a True Tale," Sites.

"Called to the Colors," Martans.

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. T. A. PERSON.

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SOCIAL SERVICE.

(No. 6.)

At the Council meeting in 1918 the Social Service Department was placed under the Educational Department of the Council, and Mrs. J. W. Downs was appointed Superintendent, with headquarters in Nashville, Tenn. In a recent communication she writes "Social Service is the basis for the working program of the Church. It must build for the future, and to do this it must build upon facts. The facts must be obtained and accurately put before the community in order to create a conscience on the

needs. The cause must be removed and the evils which have already sprung up healed. Co-operation with all other Social Service agencies obtain the best results."

Because of the war and the time spent by the woman in Red Cross and other war relief work, the Social Service work of the Missionary Society was not stressed heavily. There were several Auxiliaries in our Conference, however, which continued their previous lines of activity, visiting the sick and strangers and giving aid in hospitals, county homes and jails. One Auxiliary reported a Sunday School for the negro children on one lady's place, and three societies reported work in the camps located near their cities.

The same question as to how to get reports returned to the Superintendent of Social Service comes up again this year. I have to confess that I have not received any more than I did last year, although I tried to send the blanks to the President when known, unless the Superintendent of Social Service had been returning the reports regularly, in which case I sent the blanks to her. In number of reports sent to me for the whole year, Washington District leads, with 15; Durham is second, with 13; Raleigh, third, with 12. Then comes Fayetteville, 11; Warrenton, 9; Elizabeth City, 5; New Bern, 4; Wilmington, 3; and Rockingham, 2. Durham and Fayetteville have the distinction of having more than one Auxiliary which sent in reports for all four quarters, for they each have two. In all there were eight faithful Auxiliary Superintendents who sent in a report for every quarter.

This first quarter of 1919 shows that several Auxiliaries are using the new report books for the Corresponding Secretary. While this does not give quite such a full report as does the regular blank, it answers the purpose and is much better than no report, especially for small town or country communities where there is not so much Social Service work as there are in the cities.

For the Society my best wish is that it may have as my successor a woman who has time and consecration to devote to traveling and correspondence; and for that new Superintendent, my hope is the zealous co-operation of many more Auxiliaries.

Respectfully submitted,

SARAH K. PATTEN.

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LITERATURE.

(No. 7.)

I feel there is very little for me to say.

There have been very few complaints of literature not being received. We depend entirely upon the District Secretarys to keep our mailing list correct. Not all of them have sent revised lists this year.

Occasionally we have calls for literature we cannot furnish, but most of the Auxiliaries understand that we only handle leaflets bearing on the monthly subject of study. All other has to be ordered from Mrs. B. W.

Lipscomb, 810 Broadway, Nashville, Tenn. Upon request she will send you a "List of Publication" and you can see just what is provided for your use.

In the past we have sent leaflets for only two months of the quarter, as the Superintendent of Social Service sent the news on that subject, but I think in the future all will come through me.

The work of this office is very simple, but I hope it results in some good.

Sincerely,

MRS. E. L. HART.

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SUPPLIES.

(No. 8.)

Woman's Missionary Society of North Carolina Conferance for the year ending June 1, 1919:

Young Woman's Society, Rockingham, sent to Brevard, value	$ 7.50
Smithfield sent Preacher box	90.00
Weldon sent Preacher	7.00
Aberdeen sent box and check to Preacher	50.00
Rockingham sent check to Preacher	25.00
Warrenton sent check to Preacher	7.50
Total	$187.00

There were few calls from needy Preachers during 1918, but all who called, secured attention though only in a small way. Since January 1919, I have received two applications to which three checks and one box have been sent, amounting in value to $134.00. These were gratefully received and made necessary on account of influenza.

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. IDA WILKINS, Supt. Supplies.

EDITOR'S REPORT OF ADVOCATE PAGE.

(No. 9.)

Although the year 1918-1919 has been characterized by very unusual conditions, we are glad to state that our Missionary Auxiliaries have shown almost a normal condition so far as page eight in the Advocate was concerned. There were fewer reports and less news from the Young People's Departments, caused by the fact that many young women the leaders and managers of these departments were pressed into service for our country.

There has been some improvement in items sent from our Auxiliaries, some have really been inspirational, but we feel that the Page does not mean as much to us as it should, for it should be so full of helpful suggestions to each Auxiliary that every woman when the Advocate is re-

ceived should at once look at page eight for either an inspirational or educational Missionary message.

As this will be the last report this editor will send you, she wishes to thank all who have in any way contributed to the success of the Page this year, and also to assure you that she regrets the mistakes and delays that have seemed unavoidable.

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. V. ROYSTER, Editor.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON EXTENSION OF WORK.

(No. 1.)

Whereas, a report must be made on this most important subject, and believing that the recommendations of Council should be brought definitely to the attention of our women, your committee recommends that a part of their report be incorporated in ours.

1. That each Society shall endavor to qualify 100% on the following points: Organization and Membership; Intelligence regarding the work; Spiritual Life; and Finances.

2. That each Auxiliary President provide a program based on The Council report as soon as practical after the report is published.

3. That the attention of the Auxiliaries be directed to the proceedings of this Conference as found in the Annual Report.

4. That the Standard of Excellence be kept before the Auxiliaries.

5. That the Auxiliaries acquaint our Methodist people with the advantages offered by Scarritt Bible and Training School with a view to securing trained leaders.

6. That the Conference Corresponding Secretary with the aid of the District Secretaries shall secure lists of women from unorganized churches and cultivate these women by all possible means in the interests of the Centenary Movement, and with a view to future organization.

7. That a Service Flag on which shall be represented our Deaconesses and Missionaries, at home and abroad, shall be used in the churches, and prayer shall be daily offered for the volunteers for whom the Centenary is loudly calling. The design recommended by this committee is a Christian Flag having a white cross on a blue field, small red and blue stars on same representing the two classes or workers respectively.

MRS. HARVEY BONEY, Chairman.

MISS ANNA D. GRAHAM, Secretary.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON FINANCE.

(No. 2.)

We, your Committee, on Finance recommend:

1. That the Conference Expense Fund of 20 cents per member for Adults, 25 cents per member for Young People and 10 cents per member for Relief and Retirement Fund be collected the first evening.

2. That the Auxiliary President urge the quarterly payment of all dues and funds. Failure to do this, forces the Council to borrow money, on which interest must be paid.

3. That December 1st, or as near as practicable, be observed as Harvest Day by each Auxiliary.

4. That the Treasurers of each Auxiliary shall send all money and reports to District Secretary of her District, and the money and reports of Young People be sent to Superintendent of Young People and money and reports of Junior and Baby Divisions be sent to Superintendent of Children's Work the first day of the month, each quarter.

5. That each District Secretary, Superintendent of Young People and Superintendent of Children's Work shall send all money and reports to Conference Treasurer by the 10th of the month each quarter.

6. That we pay a pledge of $20,000.00 above our dues and endeavor to reach the 15% increase recommended by Council.

7. That each Auxiliary pay a minimum of $4.00 annually for support of our Scarritt Bible and Training School.

7. That a scholarship of $300.00 be established at Scarrett Bible and Training School.

MRS. F. B. McKINNE,
MRS. H. J. FAISON, Secretary.

COMMITTEE ON YOUNG PEOPLE'S WORK.

(No. 3.)

We recommend:

1. Wherever there are any young people in the church a serious effort should be made to organize a Young People's Missionary Society.

2. In accordance with Council plans a Campaign of Organization be inaugurated in each Conference with the Conference's First Vice-President as Chairman of the Campaign. This Campaign to end Sept. 30th.

2-a. That in each District a campaign committee be appointed with the District Secretary as Chairman, whose duty it shall be to present the Young People's work in every congregation in the District, and to organize Young People's Auxiliaries wherever possible.

3. That the young people study the Year Book programs and assume the responsibility of raising as their share of the Council Work for 1920 the sum of $1,000. This fund to be used for the work in Brazil and the Mexican work in the home land.

4. That each Auxiliary make an earnest effort to reach the "Standard of Excellence" for 1919.

5. That special effort be made during 1919 by Adult. First Vice-President to get young people interested in Bible Study and Missionary Study, and tactfully to work and pray for volunteers.

6. That one afternoon during the Week of Prayer be observed by the young people in co-operation with the Adult Auxiliary offering to go for Young People's work.

7. Every Conference shall be asked to make a place on its annual program for an inspirational presentation of Young People's Missionary Work.

8. That a Young People's hour with the Conference First Vice-President be allowed after the first day ath the Annual Meeting in a separate room, for instruction, information, questions, answers, etc.

9. That the objectives in the Centenary for the Young People's Missionary Society be

(a) Each Auxiliary 100% in intercession and tithing.

(b) Each member contributing to the Centenary fund.

(c) The Young People's Missionary Society furnishing its full quota of workers.

10. That the Young People's Watchword, "Each one win one," be made the slogan for the year.

MISS LILLIE DUKE, Chairman.
MISS THELMA LEGGETT, Secretary.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CHILDREN'S WORK.

(No. 4.)

We, the Committee on Children's Work recommend:

1. That a Junior and Baby Division be organized in every Church in our Conference.

2. That a Committee from the Adult Auxiliary visit at least once a quarter the meetings of the Junior Auxiliary.

3. That a greater effort be made to place the Young Christian Worker in every Methodist home in our Conference.

4. That each Second Vice-President endeavor to organize Study Circles among the older children and use the story method with the smaller ones.

5. That the North Carolina Conference petition the Executive Committee of the Woman's Missionary Council that the Chapel in the Administration Building of the Union Medical College at Shanghai be called the Mary Black Chapel.

MRS. N. H. D. WILSON, Chairman.
MRS. T. B. DAMERON, Secretary.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON STUDY AND PUBLICITY.

(No. 5.)

Realizing the vital importance of Christian literature in the home in moulding character and creating sentiment, directing throught, we, your Committee on Study and Publicity, make the following recommendations:

1. That every Auxiliary put on a campaign for subscriptions to "Voice and Young Christian Worker" first week in June or September, as local conditions shall determine.

2. That we secure services of an official reporter of the News and Observer to report our Conference proceedings daily.

3. That the District Secretaries see that greater publicity is given their meetings in the secular press.

4. That study classes donate books when they are through with them to Presiding Elder or District Secretary to be distributed as they see fit.

5. That once a quarter at least Advocate space carry name and address where certain stated official supplies may be secured, at what price, or if free and what quantity is free to the Auxiliary.

Respectfully submitted,
MRS. T. A. PERSON, Chairman.
MRS. R. H. MOORE, Secretary.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON SOCIAL SERVICE.

(No. 6.)

Whereas, we realize, as never before, that organized women workers, are earnestly demanding a minimum wage, an eight hour day, equal ay for equal work, and healthful working conditions.

Therefore, be it resolved:

1st. That we continue to inform ourselves on labor conditions, and support in every way possible by Legislation and otherwise, all efforts to secure the economic condition necessary to the realization of the fullest physical, mental and spiritual life.

2nd. We recommend that at the earliest possible time a woman be appointed to visit communities in the interest of racial co-operation and adjustment.

3rd. That each Auxiliary co-operate with other local organizations, for the public welfare, to secure play grounds, libraries, Travelers Aids, Police Matrons, and to raise the standard of morality in each community.

Whereas, the present year marks, the successful culmination of long and earnest effort to secure by legislation the prohibition of the manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquors, in the United States and,

Whereas, the battle will not be won until these laws are adequately enforced, and

Whereas, the manufacturers have expressed their intention of transferring their operations to foreign lands, where we are engaged in Mis sionary operations.

Therefore be it resolved:

1st. That we co-operate to the utmost in securing the enforecment of our National Prohibition Laws.

2nd. That we hereby protest against the transferance of their death-dealing operations to our Mission fields, and pledge ourselves to co-operate with our Missionary Societies and other Agencies in bringing about final World Prohibition.

MRS. J. E. STEVACK, Chairman.
MRS. E. N. RICKS, Secretary.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON MEMOIRS.

(No. 7.)

We recommend:

1. That this Committee be appointed at one Conference for the next (a year ahead).

2. That this service be held with the Devotional the first afternoon of the meeting.

3. That this Memorial Service be held for those who have died during the Conference year and the names be sent to the Chairman by the President of the Auxiliary.

MRS. F. M. SHAMBURGER, Chairman.
MRS. T. P. WOMACK.
MRS. R. W. BAILEY.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON BY-LAWS AND STANDING RULES.

(No. 8.)

Your Committee on By-Laws find that all points pertaining to the work and governing of the organization are covered either by the Laws as now standing, or by Parlimentary Law.

MRS. R. B. JOHN.
MRS. J. C. GORHAM.
MRS. R. W. BAILEY.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON RESOLUTIONS.

(No. 9.)

Looking back over the years that have gone, we recall the delightful hospitality extended to our Conference by other towns in the North Carolina Conference, all having showered blessings upon us. But now when we think over the joys of this week, both spiritual and temporal,

we feel that Rockingham has excelled them all. And wishing to express our great appreciation,

Therefore be it resolved:

That we express our sincere appreciation of the hospitable manner in which the Rockingham people have welcomed us into their homes and extended to us every courtesy.

That we are deeply indebted to the choir and the soloists, Mrs. F. S. Love, Mrs. H. F. Long, Miss Myra Armond, for giving us such sweet music.

That we extend our thanks and appreciation to the efficient pages, who have served us so faithfully during the Conference.

That as a body we are most grateful for the splendid addresses delivered by Mrs. B. W. Lipscomb, our Home Base Secretary, and for the pictures of our world conditions thrown upon the screen for our enlightenment and inspiration.

That we appreciate greatly the message of Miss Erwin, as she brought to us her strong appeal for Korea.

That we thank Mr. and Mrs. Corpning of the Rockingham Hotel for serving the Centenary Luncheon which has wonderfully inspired our women.

That we appreciate the gracious manner in which Mrs. R. B. John, our ex-President served us as toast mistress at this luncheon, and also the thrilling words of Mrs. Lipscomb, Miss Erwin, Mrs. W. P. Webb, Miss Bristowe, Miss Page, Mrs. Gates, and Mrs. Person, as they spoke on the subject of the Centenary.

That our thanks are due the Press for their generous reports of our Sessions.

That we thank the five members of the Rockingham Young People's Auxiliary for the impressive lesson they brought us on the fruits of our work.

That we thank Mrs. C. W. Peppler for her sweet message at the noon Devotional Hour.

That we were greatly blessed by the coming to us of Mrs. M. E. Tilly, Second Vice-President of the North Georgia Conference. Her illustrated talk will bear fruit in the North Carolina Conference.

That we were greatly blessed by the presence of our Student Volunteer Miss Mary Ella McCall. Our prayers go with her as she answers her, Master's call.

That we wish to express our appreciation to Brother D. H. Tuttle for the splendid opening sermon delivered before our Conference. Also

to Brother A. L. Armond, pastor in charge, and to Presiding Elder H. M. North, for their constant attendance and deep interest in our work.

That the wonderful spiritual inspiration of our President, Miss Elizabeth Lamb, has pervaded the meeting, for whose sweet and precious influence we thank our God who gave her to us. May His richest blessings rest upon her.

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. E. C. DUNCAN, Chairman.
MRS. F. S. LOVE.
MRS. K. TAYLOR.
MRS. B. C. THOMPSON.

STATISTICAL REPORT OF YOUNG PEOPLE 1918

	Dues	Pledge	Conference Fund	Retirements and Relief	S. B. T. S.	Week of Prayer	Total Auxiliaries	Total District
Durham District—								
Memorial	$24 00	$68 00	$ 11 75	$ 4 75	$ 2 00	$ 6 00	$116 50	
Roxboro	10 25	10 40	1 00	3 00	2 00	------	26 65	
Yanceyville	7 56	15 00	3 25	1 40	------	2 60	29 81	
Prospect	11 75	30 00	6 00	2 70	2 00	5 00	57 45	—$ 230 41
E. City District—								
Andersons	$17 15	$ 9 70	$ 3 00	$ 1 20	$------	$------	$ 31 05	
Hertford	11 35	20 00	4 50	1 10	2 00	------	38 95	
Kittrells	9 55	10 00	2 00	------	2 00	------	23 55	
Manteo	1 15	------	3 00	------	------	------	4 15	—$ 97 70
Fayetteville District—								
Carthage	$ 2 70	$ 4 00	$------	$------	$------	$------	$ 6 70	
Fayetteville, Hay St	17 30	17 15	------	1 25	------	2 15	37 85	
Sanford	42 60	80 00	5 00	1 80	------	6 65	136 05	
"Blue Birds," Fayetteville	7 10	4 00	------	75	------	------	11 85	
Dunn	90	1 30	------	------	------	------	2 20	
Camp Grounds, New	3 00	------	------	------	------	1 00	4 00	—$ 198 65
New Bern District—								
St. Pauls, Goldsboro	$18 55	$55 00	$------	$------	$------	$ 2 52	$ 76 07	
Trenton	14 70	15 00	3 00	2 00	2 00	1 50	38 20	
Smith's Chapel, Mt. Olive	7 75	------	------	------	------	------	7 75	—$ 122 02
Raleigh District—								
Cary	$13 20	$15 00	$ 3 00	$ 1 00	$------	$ 1 00	$ 33 20	
Edenton St., Raleigh	1 35	8 40	25	45	------	------	10 45	
Kenly	8 70	3 50	------	------	------	1 00	13 20	
Louisburg No. 1	36 45	51 60	7 25	2 00	------	2 95	100 25	
Wesleyan Daughters	22 20	35 70	------	------	------	------	57 90	
Elizabeth Lamb	80	------	------	------	------	------	80	
Plank Chapel	10 00	14 00	1 00	2 00	------	------	27 00	
W. E. Orphanage	12 50	------	------	------	------	------	12 50	
Oxford	14 75	20 00	------	------	------	------	34 75	
Middlesex	3 50	------	------	------	------	------	3 50	—$ 293 55
Rockingham District—								
Biscoe	$ 7 70	$10 00	$ 3 50	$ 1 40	$------	$------	$ 22 60	
Mollie Gill, Laurinburg	------	21 12	------	------	------	------	21 12	
Car. College	------	75 00	------	------	------	------	75 00	
Fairmont	7 40	10 85	------	------	------	------	18 25	
Gibson	19 20	25 00	6 25	2 50	2 00	15 12	70 07	
Lillie Duke Rickham	21 95	10 35	3 65	2 55	------	------	38 50	
Rebecca LeGrand	21 55	45 00	3 00	1 20	------	3 00	73 75	
Mt. Gilead	7 10	------	1 20	------	------	------	8 30	
Raeford	12 75	10 00	3 00	1 70	2 00	1 80	31 25	
St. Johns Laurinburg	50 05	31 05	14 65	------	------	------	95 75	—$ 454 59
Warrenton District—								
Littleton	3 50	------	------	------	------	------	3 50	
Littleton College	------	5 00	------	------	------	------	5 00	
Warrenton	5 50	6 00	------	------	------	4 00	15 50	
Weldon	7 20	26 95	2 75	1 10	2 00	10 00	50 00	
Arcola	7 20	------	------	------	------	------	7 20	—$ 81 20
Washington District—								
Aurora	$ 6 90	$------	$------	$------	$------	$------	$ 6 90	
Bethel	1 70	------	------	------	------	------	1 70	
Bonnerton	2 35	------	------	------	------	------	2 35	
Eureka	8 45	6 50	3 00	1 20	2 00	------	21 15	
Freemont	6 40	8 05	------	80	------	------	15 25	
Farmville	2 45	------	------	------	------	------	2 45	
Spring Hope	50	------	------	------	------	------	50	

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Wilson	$ 9 05	$25 00	$	$	$	$	$ 34 05	
Greenville	8 00	10 00					18 00	
Warrens Chapel	1 95						1 95	
Nashville	8 50	5 50					14 00	—$ 118 30
Wilmington District—								
Fifth Street, Wilmington	$15 55	$21 75	$ 7 25	$ 2 25	$	$	$ 46 80	
Ida Hankins	1 25						1 25	
Richlands	14 30	18 65		30			33 25	
Rose Hill	10 80	9 00	2 25	90	2 00	1 00	25 95	
Wallace	11 30	5 30		80			17 40	—$ 124 65
Grand total								—$1721 07

BRIGHT JEWEL STATISTICS, 1918

	Baby Division.			Junior Division.				
	Enrolled.	Fees.	Pledge.	Members.	Dues.	Pledge.	Total.	Y. C. W.
Durham District—								
Bethel	2	$ 08	$	12	$ 5 51	$	$ 5 59	4
Burlington				20	6 51	7 50	14 01	
Durham Memorial	11	75	18 83	78	31 70	114 19	165 47	30
Trinity				21	5 10	15 33	20 43	6
Leasburg				18	9 35	8 00	17 35	4
Milton	5	50	3 00				3 50	
Prospect				10	4 18	15 90	20 08	5
Roxboro	17	75	6 61	49	26 80	15 09	49 25	8
Yanceyville				18	10 20	8 10	18 30	3
Elizabeth City District—								
Anderson		$	$	45	$ 9 99	$ 15 00	$ 24 99	14
Columbia					1 00		1 00	
E. City, City Road				20	3 00		3 00	
First Church	8		1 07	58	10 31	16 44	27 82	
Gatesville				25	22 77		22 77	5
Grandy				30	4 25	19 00	23 25	
Hertford	30		20 65	54	16 35	16 35	53 35	17
Manteo	20			25	12 30	8 57	20 87	
Moyock				10		19 00	19 00	
New Hope				13	9 50	2 50	12 00	5
Pantego	3			12	6 50	14 70	21 20	4
Parkers				20		4 84	4 84	
Philadelphia			1 50	10		1 50	3 00	
Wanchese				40	27 35	20 90	48 25	13
Zion	8	1 75	2 01	14	2 94	6 56	13 26	5
Fayetteville District—								
Camp Ground		$	$		$	$	$	
Carthage	6		2 15	24	4 65	24 79	31 59	6
Dunn (Including Sallie Lou McKinnon Society)	32	1 25	13 64	53	31 21	53 90	100 00	8
Fayetteville, Hay Street	24	5 75	12 99	41	16 70	46 56	82 00	10
Pittsboro				15	5 40	4 07	9 47	
Roseboro	2	25		15	2 25	1 00	3 50	5
Sanford				20	12 67	72 15	84 82	2
Siler City				15	3 74	20 17	23 91	6
New Bern District—								
Goldsboro, St. Paul	19	$ 1 00	$25 90	37	$ 13 31	$ 38 28	$ 78 49	12
Hookerton	9	75	4 90	25	12 95	11 72	30 32	16
Kinston	25	1 00	2 89	62	25 06	71 08	100 00	8
LaGrange				20	4 80	7 25	12 05	
Morehead City	10	25	4 77	20	14 67	17 21	36 90	
New Bern, Centenary	14	2 50	14 09	43	24 90	102 66	144 05	12
Ocracoke				12	2 00		2 00	
Pollocksville					2 50		2 50	
Trenton				30	7 30	12 90	20 20	6
Raleigh District—								
Banks		$	$	10	$ 4 45	$ 2 00	$ 6 45	
Cary				18	8 61	10 70	19 31	
Four Oaks				16	9 45	3 05	12 50	4
Franklinton	21	25		20	13 80	98 10	112 15	
Kenly	10	25	3 68	22	3 45	4 53	11 91	12
Louisburg	6	1 75		25	5 15	33 12	40 02	8
Middlesex				29	9 15	7 18	16 23	8
Oxford	10	75	2 95	35	11 50	3 25	18 45	10
Plank Chapel, Olive Allen				17	5 05	5 30	10 35	3
Raleigh, Central				20	8 96	26 04	35 00	20
Edenton Street	15			61	12 30	23 00	35 30	6
Salem				10	4 70	3 75	8 45	

BRIGHT JUNIOR STATISTICS, 1918—Continued

Selma	6	$	$ 1 50	20	$ 50	$ 7 00	$ 9 00	4
Smithfield	30	50	5 96	37	18 20	48 50	73 16	23
Stem				17	5 60	8 77	14 67	
Zebulon				19	8 95	11 46	20 41	2
Rockingham District—								
Aberdeen				10	4 50		4 50	
Asbury				13	3 99	6 02	10 01	
Biscoe				12	12 15	15 00	27 15	4
Elizabethtown				11	2 15	1 26	3 41	
Fairmont	4	50		40	17 24	12 86	30 60	5
Gibson				20	6 98	20 00	26 98	
Hamlet				21	1 15		1 15	
Laurinburg	6	1 50		51	18 02	55 81	75 33	
Lumberton			75	25	4 62	9 00	14 37	
Maxton	18	25	3 80	39	9 82	43 60	57 47	5
Mt. Gilead				58	23 68	25 00	48 68	15
Raeford				20	9 10	16 84	25 94	
Red Springs				37	10 81	23 17	33 98	9
Rockingham				30	19 45	18 85	38 30	
Rowland	9	2 00		20	4 85		6 85	
Star	13	50		52	1 70	1 06	3 26	5
Troy	8	1 25		30	4 10		5 35	3
Wadeville			25	10	3 90	1 43	5 58	3
Warrenton District—								
Bethel		$	$	22	$ 2 72	$	$ 2 72	
Bethlehem, Frances Bailey	9	2 25		24	9 40	1 55	16 20	4
Conway				20	3 24	5 00	8 24	
Graysburg	4	1 00	50	33	19 35	27 75	48 60	11
Henderson				38	7 10	1 31	8 41	
Jackson				20	10 37	37 90	48 27	
Littleton	19	50	3 79	15	8 95	13 10	26 34	6
Macon				10	4 60	40	5 00	
Mt. Gould				21	5 89		5 89	
Murfreesboro				10		5 25	5 25	
Norlina				33	15 05	12 07	27 12	9
Providence				15	2 40	6 17	8 57	
Seaboard				12	7 75	6 97	14 72	6
Warrenton				38	20 00		20 00	
Weldon	17	1 00	12 40	46	25 00	17 10	55 50	
White Oak	1			17	10 50		10 50	
Windsor	14		17 00	28		22 50	39 50	4
Winton	7	50	1 95	22	8 05	11 34	21 84	2
Woodard				23	9 10		9 10	
Washington District—								
Aurora		$	$	20	$ 2 99	$ 13 16	$ 16 15	
Ayden				27	3 03	7 20	10 23	1
Bethel					2 36		2 36	
Blounts Creek				10	2 96		2 96	
Farmville				20	7 27	14 00	21 27	14
Fremont	4	1 00		26	80	91	2 71	2
Greenville, Jarvis Memorial	45	25	4 24	56	17 50	40 79	62 78	12
Mauls Point				10	5 85		5 85	
Nashville	10	1 33	1 30	30	6 03	7 77	16 43	6
Rocky Mount, First Church	14	1 00	1 00	36	5 85	40 15	48 00	2
Spring Hope				8	2 47		2 47	2
Swan Quarter				36	10 15		10 15	
Washington				20	7 59	18 38	25 88	
Wilson	5			60	25 80	74 20	100 00	14
Wilmington District—								
Chadbourn	4	$ 1 00	$ 2 60	18	$ 3 90	$ 23 52	$ 31 02	
Johnsons Chapel				10	2 00		2 00	
Kenansville					3 00	2 00	5 00	
Maysville	19	4 75	1 31	31	12 02	17 70	35 78	37
Richlands	6			17	12 30		12 30	
Rose Hill	2			30	13 70	10 32	24 02	5
Wallace				23	9 88	7 50	17 38	3
Whiteville	15			26	12 73	25 51	38 24	4
Wilmington, Fifth Ave	6	25	2 48				*12 73	
Grace	22	4 00	1 68	35	19 10	25 82	50 60	
Trinity				28	15 95	28 70	44 65	

BRIGHT JEWEL STATISTICS, 1918—Continued

SUMMARY DISTRICT	Baby Division.	Enrolled.	Fees.	Pledge.	Junior Division.	Members.	Dues.	Pledge.	Total.	Y. C. W.
Durham	4	35	$ 2 08	$ 28 44	8	226	$ 99 35	$ 184 11	$ 313 98	60
Elizabeth City	5	69	1 75	25 23	15	385	126 26	145 36	298 60	63
Fayetteville	4	64	7 75	28 78	9	193	80 96	224 59	342 08	37
New Bern	5	67	5 50	52 42	9	249	112 29	261 10	431 31	54
Raleigh	7	98	3 50	14 09	16	376	130 12	295 65	443 36	100
Rockingham	6	58	6 00	4 05	18	499	157 45	250 90	418 40	39
Warrenton	7	70	5 25	35 64	19	446	158 97	189 21	389 07	41
Washington	5	78	3 58	6 54	14	359	100 56	216 56	327 24	54
Wilmington	5	74	10 00	8 07	10	253	104 58	141 07	273 72	57
Total	48	613	$45 41	$203 26	118	2986	$ 1070 54	$ 1908 53	$ 3237 76	505

*The Epworth League of Fifth Avenue Wilmington made a special contribution of $10.00 for the Mary Black Hospital.

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DURHAM DISTRICT.	Number of Members.	New Members.	Subscribers to Voice.	Mission Study.	Dues.	Pledge.	Conference Fund	Retirement Fund	Scarritt School.	Scholarships	Specials	Week of Prayer	Total	Local
Allensville	6				$ 3 00	$ 5 00	$	$	$	$	$	$	$ 8 00	$
Bethel	12	3	4	25	12 85	22 00	1 00	1 20				5 00	42 05	75 00
Branson	20		8	15	23 25	35 35	8 05	1 20	4 50			7 35	79 70	
Brooksdale	8				2 40	2 85							5 25	101 00
Burlington	48	8	15		107 87	105 00	20 96	5 02	4 00		50 00	3 58	296 43	67 57
Carrboro	15	1	1		8 00	8 45	50	60					17 55	
Chapel Hill	15	2	2		19 35	25 00	2 00	1 50	2 00			3 00	52 85	
Leasburg	13	3	6	10	27 30	25 00	6 00	1 20	4 00			7 00	70 50	15 00
Locust Hill	15	5	5		15 95	24 20	7 50	1 55					49 20	36 50
Memorial	91	11	32	38	172 05	307 25	34 50	8 10	4 00			17 28	543 18	116 48
Milton	7	1	4		6 65	13 50		30	4 00			5 75	30 20	7 40
New Hope	12		6		6 95	32 10	1 00	90					41 01	
Prospect	16	2	7		21 95	50 00	7 60	1 60	2 00			8 75	91 90	
Purley	6				2 40	4 60						1 00	8 00	
Roxboro	71	6	12		145 90	200 00	16 70	7 30	4 00		50 00	10 00	433 90	890 00
Trinity No. 1	62	13	16	15	120 30	203 35	18 65	5 05	4 00	205 00	50 00	32 00	638 35	283 36
Trinity No. 2	38	4	17		76 65	123 80	16 00	3 00	4 00		150 00	32 00	405 45	115 37
West Burlington	15		3		22 98	25 00	3 00	1 50	4 00				56 48	
West Durham	34	3	4	10	28 55	21 25	2 10	70	70			9 25	62 55	62 70
Yanceyville	11		5		15 75	20 00	3 50	1 10	2 00			15 30	57 65	28 00
Webb Avenue (new)	28	33	6		27 00	5 00	2 50	2 50	2 00			7 00	46 00	
Shady Grove (new)	10	10			5 20								5 20	
Concord (new)	19	19	4		15 00	6 10	2 30	95	1 50				25 85	
Hebron (new)	6	6												
Salem (new)	6	6	6											
Union (new)	6	6												
Miss Lillie Duke's Class										50 00			50 00	
Total	600	142	163	113	$ 887 30	$ 1264 86	$ 155 36	$ 45 27	$ 45 20	$ 255 00	$ 300 00	$ 164 26	$ 3117 25	$ 1798 38
4 Young People's Auxiliaries	100				$ 53 56	$ 123 40	22 00	11 85	6 00			13 60	230 41	
4 Baby Divisions	35				2 08	28 44							30 52	
8 Junior Divisions	226		60		99 35	184 11							283 46	
Total	961	142	223	113	$ 1042 29	$ 1600 81	$ 177 36	$ 57 12	$ 51 20	$ 255 00	$ 300 00	$ 177 86	$ 3661 64	$ 1798 38
Local Work													$ 1798 38	
Grand total													$ 5460 02	

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ELIZABETH CITY DISTRICT.	Number Members.	New Members.	Subscribers to Voice.	Dues.	Conference. Expense Fund.	Retirement. Relief Fund.	Pledge.	Week of Prayer.	Scarrett Endowment.	Scholarship.	Kindergarden Japan.	Total Amount Conference Treasurer.	Average Per Member.	Local Work Reported.	Grand Total.
Wanchese	30		8	$71 20	$8 75	$2 15	$32 75	$8 54	$2 90	$	$	$126 29	$4 20	$102 71	$229 00
Manteo	20		7	49 40	10 00	2 00	41 00					102 40	5 12		102 40
Kittrells	20		7	31 90	4 75		26 78	11 75	2 00			77 18	3 85		77 18
Zions	15			26 45	3 00	70	22 00								55 15
Andersons	13		5	41 00	8 85	1 40	45 00					96 25	7 04		96 25
Belhaven	8		8	16 60	3 55	60	16 00	5 00				41 75	5 21	326 00	367 75
Minnie Wilson, Hertford	40		5	82 75	17 25	3 40	128 25	10 00				241 65	6 04	119 31	360 96
Philadelphia	21		12	50 85	11 50	2 30	36 25	9 05	1 03			110 98	5 28	73 88	184 86
Gatesville	26		9	44 56	6 25	1 30	80 45	14 15	4 15	40 00		190 86	7 34		190 86
Hertford	22		15	58 00	10 45	2 10	114 65				94 50	279 70	12 71	312 49	592 19
Pantego	11	2	8	14 20			15 00	3 44				32 64	2 97		32 64
New Hope	15		8	22 50			8 00					30 50	2 03	56 00	86 50
Elizabeth City, First Church	72		20	182 40	37 98	7 62	368 36	35 00	4 48			635 84	8 83	100 75	736 59
Parkers, Corapeake	23			42 65	4 05	10	23 60	3 80	3 30			77 50	3 36	12 34	89 84
McBride	10			5 92								5 92	59		5 92
Winfall	10			6 70								6 70	67		6 70
City Roade	12		4	26 84	4 47	99		8 75				41 05	3 42	36 00	77 05
Hebron	8			4 22								4 22	52		4 22
Edenton	10			25 70			9 00					34 70	3 47		34 70
B. Woman sup. by Gates Co., Institute, in mem. of Mal'ne Grant												75 00			75 00
Total Adult				$803 84	130 85	24 66	967 09	109 48	17 86	40 00	94 50	2263 28		1142 48	3405 76
Young Peopl s	77			39 20	12 50	2 30	39 70		4 00			97 70			97 70
15 Junior Divisions	385			126 26			145 36					271 62			271 62
5 Baby Divisions	69			1 75			25 23					26 98			26 98
Grand Total				$971 05	143 35	26 96	1177 38		21 86			2659 98			3802 06

DISTRICT SECRETARY'S REPORT

FAYETTEVILLE DISTRICT.	Members.	New Members.	Subscribers to Voice.	Dues.	Mission Study.	Pledge.	Bible Women.	Week of Prayer.	Specials.	Local Work.	Sent Conference Treasurer.	C. E. Fund.	R. and Relief.	Scarritt.	Total.
Belle Bennett	25		18	$ 57 50	30	$ 114 50	$	$ 14 00	$ 5 00	$ 55 05	$ 209 00	$ 1 92	$ 2 38	$ 4 00	$ 264 05
Camp Ground	12			32 40		25 00		6 50			72 50	4 05			72 50
Carthage	41			64 90		9 30	63 00	25 45			170 60	6 50	70		170 60
Dunn	47	2	15	97 90		135 00		7 14		8 00	266 24	18 15	4 00	4 00	274 24
Hay Street	70	1	30	160 43		251 05		33 40	3 48	575 16	497 80	39 94	5 50	4 00	1072 96
Jonesboro	29		6	26 10		31 75	60 00	8 35		25 00	126 20	80			151 20
Roseboro	20	1	8	19 25						35 00	39 50	5 30	1 05		74 50
Pittsboro	20	3	4	45 85		25 00		5 50		38 00	82 70				120 70
Sanford	29		14	33 30			120 00	5 25			167 66	2 45	1 15	5 51	167 66
Siler City	15		9	39 00		64 00		20 00			131 00	4 00	4 00		131 00
Total	308	7	105	$ 576 63	$	$ 674 85	$ 243 00	$ 125 79	$ 8 48	$ 736 21	$ 1766 65	$ 118 11	$ 22 82	$ 18 26	$ 2500 86
9 Junior Divisions	193			$ 80 96		$ 224 59									
6 Young People's Auxiliaries	90			73 60		106 45									
4 Baby Divisions	64			7 75		28 78									

DISTRICT SECRETARY'S REPORT

NEW BERN DISTRICT.	Number Members.	Subscribers to Voice.	Mission Study	Dues.	Pledge.	Conference Expense Fund.	Retirement Fund	Week of Prayer	Bible Women	Scarritt	Average Per Member	Amount Sent Conf. Treas.	Local Work	Total for 1918
Ocracoke	8			$ 9 90	$ 11 00	$	$ 30	$	$	$	$ 2 65	$ 21 20	$	$ 21 20
La Grange	20			20 70	30 00						2 53	50 70	64 00	114 70
St. John's	29	5		33 30	62 70			13 00			3 78	109 00		109 00
Pollocksville	17	1		20 15	20 00	1 00	1 85				2 55	43 00	127 67	170 67
New Bern	100	25	30	215 60	330 00	33 10	4 65	95 00		1 50	6 79	679 85	284 03	963 88
Trenton	22	6		34 25	25 15	1 10	20				2 75	60 70		60 70
Beaufort	24	5		37 50	5 70	25					1 81	43 45		43 45
Kinston	71	15		158 40	243 05	30 50	5 90		60		7 01	497 85	415 47	913 32
St. Paul's	147	38		197 00	308 65	38 05	7 90	12 50		1 10	3 77	565 20	606 31	1171 51
Mt. Olive	30	14		71 90	75 00	14 50		2 00			5 44	163 40	250 00	413 40
Morehead City	37	24	10	84 10	140 30	17 00	3 40				6 61	244 80	70 55	315 35
Oriental	19			29 10	15 50						2 34	44 60		44 60
Snow Hill	20	10		23 50	44 50	3 00	45				3 51	71 45		71 45
Calypso	20	7		32 00	4 25	8 00					2 21	44 25	230 00	274 25
Smith's Chapel	13	7	11	13 70	5 25	80					1 51	19 75		19 75
Shady Grove	27	14		23 50							80	23 50		23 50
Hookerton	25	10		25 80	49 15	5 35	2 00	13 95			3 85	96 25	45 00	141 25
Total	629	181	51	$ 1030 40	$ 1370 20	$ 152 65	$ 26 65	$ 136 45	$ 60	$ 2 60	$ 4 42	$ 2778 95	$ 2093 03	$ 4871 98
5 Baby Divisions	67			$ 5 50	$ 52 42	$						$ 57 92		$ 57 92
9 Junior Divisions	249			112 29	261 10							373 39		373 39
3 Young People's Auxiliaries	69			41 00	70 00	3 00	2 00	4 02		2 00		122 02		122 02
Grand total	1014	181	51	$ 1189 19	$ 1763 72	$ 155 65	$ 28 65	$ 140 47	$ 60	$ 4 60	$ 4 42	$ 3332 28	$ 2093 03	$ 5425 31

DISTRICT SECRETARY'S REPORT

RALEIGH DISTRICT.	Members.	New Members.	Subscribers to Voice.	Mission Study Classes.	Mission Study Members.	Dues.	Pledge.	Conference Expenses.	Retirement and Relief.	Scarritt Loan Fund.	Scholarship.	Week of Prayer.	Specials.	Sent to Conference Treasurer.	Social Work.
Apex	12	4	4			$17 80	$10 55	$ 1 40	$	$	$	$	$	$29 75	$
Banks Chapel	30		8			54 40	55 25	2 75	60	4 00	40 00	5 00		162 00	
Cary	14	2	10	2	20	31 80	50 00	6 65	1 30	4 00		7 85		101 60	87 95
Clayton	23	3	15			50 50	36 00	8 05				17 25		111 80	503 90
Central	41		10			74 00	100 00	8 85	2 05	50		6 30		191 70	555 18
Edenton Street	103	12	20			248 55	184 25	51 75	10 35	4 00	50 00	19 40		568 30	6121 61
Four Oaks	12	2	5			21 60	42 50	4 50	90					69 50	9 00
Franklinton	18		15			40 70	379 50	7 60	5 10	5 55		55 15		493 60	
Franklinton No. 2	25	1	6			48 35	69 00	11 00	2 40					130 75	
Fuquay Springs	15	4	3			27 35	21 40	1 08	27					50 10	18 00
Jenkin's Memorial	33	33	9			10 20	45	1 85						12 50	
Kenly	20	1	16	2	40	48 60	25 00	7 10	1 90	8 00		7 35		97 95	473 61
Louisburg	56	3	17	2	60	116 10	260 26	22 50	5 10	4 00		15 00	260 00	682 96	158 50
Maria Brown	31	5	11	1	15	64 75	86 85	12 77	2 05	4 00		8 05		178 47	15 00
Mary Pescud	38	6	20	3	30	92 25	125 30	18 95	5 45	4 00	90 00	36 25	80 00	452 20	23 28
Middlesex	14	14	8			25 65	38 74	3 55	2 40					70 34	10 75
Oxford	38	4	20	1	24	83 00	200 00	16 35	3 20	4 00		7 50		314 05	120 50
Plank Chapel	9		4			18 10	18 50	4 15	35					41 10	
Salem	22		7			28 00	24 00		2 00					54 00	
Selma	20	2	14			45 00	45 40	11 85	2 00	4 00		15 00		123 25	79 70
Smithfield	56	3	50	1	15	132 40	110 00	26 00	5 20	4 00		32 40	05	315 00	487 87
Zebulon	10	10	8	1	4	12 25	25 00	4 90	35	1 00				43 50	
Total	650	109	280	14	208	$1291 35	$1907 50	$232 20	$54 82	$51 05	$180 00	$232 50	$345 00	$4294 42	$8664 85
10 Young People	149					123 45	148 20	11 50	5 45			4 95		293 55	
7 Baby Divisions	98					3 50	14 09							17 59	
16 Junior Divisions	376		100	Y.C.W.		132 12	295 65							425 77	
Grand Total	1273	109	380	14	208	$1548 42	$2365 44	$243 70	$60 27	$61 05	$180 00	$237 45	$345 00	$5031 33	$8664 85

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ROCKINGHAM DISTRICT	Number Members	Subscribers to Voice	Mission Study	Dues	Conference Expense Fund	Retirement and Relief Fund	Pledge	Scarritt	Week of Prayer	Special	Total	Local	Average Per Member
Aberdeen	24	14		$ 50 50	$ 12 50	$ 2 50	$ 700 00	$	$ 50 00	$	$ 815 50	$ 110 00	$ 33 98
Biscoe	11	6		23 90	3 50	65	39 20	35	21 00		88 60	99 00	8 06
Elizabethtown	34	14		18 10			17 25		1 50		36 85		1 10
Fairmont	32	15		43 10	5 52	3 74	85 25		26 00		163 61	175 50	5 10
Gibson	18	8		41 60	8 60	3 05	59 75	2 75	55 05		270 80		15 05
Hamlet	32	12		63 75	16 00	3 20	100 00	6 75	3 00		193 90	700 00	6 05
Laurinburg	45	25	22	95 55	20 75	4 05	641 00		22 10		783 45		17 41
Laurinburg Young Women	18	6		39 07			189 16				228 23		12 14
Lumberton	43	20	10	91 00	5 00	6 00	184 00	4 00	15 50		305 50	19 00	7 10
Maxton	32	10	8	65 05	11 15	2 40	184 35				262 95	185 40	8 22
Maxton Young Women	17	6		16 10	3 45	1 00	107 00	2 75			130 30		7 67
Mt. Gilead	30	5		46 09	8 20	3 00	38 05	4 00	11 10		110 44		3 68
Raeford	25	12		57 95	5 60		58 25	4 00	17 05		142 85		5 72
Red Springs	29	22		35 80	7 75	1 85	62 45	2 85	6 15		116 85		4 03
Rockingham	62	35		149 00	30 25	6 90	199 37	2 00	25 73	172 65	586 00	380 00	9 62
Rockingham Young Women	30	20		53 30	12 00	5 80	192 00	4 00	12 40	40 00	319 50	80 00	10 65
Rowland	23	15		52 64	11 46	1 70	37 30				103 10	30 00	4 50
St. John	16	8		19 20	4 20	85	100 00	4 00		Scholarship at Brevard School	128 25	16 00	8 02
St. Paul	22	12		32 90		4 10	20 15	5 75			62 90	20 00	5 25
Wadeville	6	4		16 50	3 25	70	51 75	2 00	3 80		78 00	25 00	13 00
Ashury	12	4		13 00	3 25		19 20		6 30		41 75		3 48
Mrs. Frank Page										40 00			
Total	576	284	40	$ 1089 85	$ 193 38	$ 55 29	$ 3207 73	$ 34 45	$ 276 68	$ 265 05	$ 5110 03	$ 2114 90	
Grand Total												(Reported)	$ 7224 93

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WARRENTON DISTRICT. AUXILIARIES	Number Members.	Number New Members.	Subscribers to Voice.	Number in Mission Study.	Dues.	Conference Expenses.	Scarritt.	Relief.	Pledge.	Week of Prayer.	Totals.	Average.	Supplies.	Local.	Grand Total.
Arcola	15				$36 00	$4 50	$3 00	$1 50	$	$	$45 00	$3 00	$	$	$45 00
Calvary	15				36 00	4 50	3 00	1 50	11 15		56 15	3 74			56 15
Coleraine	8		7		19 20	2 40	1 60	80	19 50	3 50	47 00	5 87		24 11	71 11
Conway	25	6	5		37 90	2 70	2 40	1 90	60 00	20 82	125 72	5 03			125 72
Garysburg	18				43 20	5 40	3 60	1 80	56 90	6 00	116 90	6 50	46 00	52 95	215 85
Henderson	40		10		84 70	6 00	4 00	4 00	100 00	14 00	212 70	5 32	41 90	214 39	469 05
Henderson, Y. W. (Two Quarters)	15	15			4 60				30 10		34 70	4 62			34 70
Jackson	20				48 00	6 00	10 00	2 00	150 00	21 19	237 19	11 80			237 19
Littleton	40				80 40	8 00	4 00	4 00	152 85	22 23	271 48	6 78	47 50	124 54	443 52
Macon (One Quarter)	18	18	4		10 50						10 50	2 33			10 50
Middleburg	12				22 75				10 00		32 75	2 73			32 75
Murfreesboro	15		4		31 40		3 00	1 50	31 10		67 00	4 47	25 00	30 00	122 00
Norlina	15		7		27 25	2 50	3 00		24 00		57 25	3 82		47 00	104 25
Roanoke Rapids	18		7		29 25			1 80		2 60	33 65	1 87		28 00	61 65
Rosemary	13		8		24 50		2 00		18 30		44 80	3 45		61 00	105 80
Seaboard	22				51 20	3 30	2 00	2 20	44 00		102 70	4 67		30 00	132 70
Severn	11		5		26 40	3 30	2 20	1 20	22 80	12 25	68 15	6 20			68 15
Shocco	9				18 35			1 00			19 35	2 15			19 35
Union	17				17 40				12 75		30 15	1 77	13 00		43 15
Warrenton	40	5	9		96 00	12 00	8 00	4 00	152 50	27 50	300 00	7 50	62 50	300 00	662 50
Warren Plains (One Quarter)	10	10	1		6 00				4 00		10 00	4 00			10 00
Weldon	66		40		158 40	12 00	8 00	4 00	238 70	40 00	461 10	6 98	84 00	192 00	737 10
Williamston	22		12	12	37 50				9 00		46 50	2 21			46 50
Windsor	21		7	9	50 40	6 30	4 20	2 10	23 45	18 75	105 20	5 01	32 00	8 25	145 45
Winton	13		3		31 20	3 90	2 60	1 30	20 00	10 00	69 00	5 30		26 00	95 00
Zion (Two Quarters)	25	25	5		29 15			3 00	17 25	3 60	53 00	4 24			53 00
Hebron (One Quarter)	14	14			7 50						7 50	2 14			7 50
Union (Two Quarters)	11	11	2		13 20				3 30		16 50	3 00		20 00	36 50
Tabernacle (One Quarter)	10	10			3 00						3 00	1 20			3 00
Total	568	104	136	21	$1081 35	$82 80	$66 60	$39 60	$1212 15	$202 44	$2684 94		$351 96	$1158 24	$4195 14
4 Young People	87				$23 90	$2 75	$2 00	$1 10	$37 95	$14 00	$81 70	$	$	$	$81 70
7 Baby Divisions	70				5 25				35 64		40 89				40 89
19 Junior Divisions	446		41		158 97				189 21		348 18				348 18
Grand Total					$1269 47	$85 55	$68 60	$40 70	$1474 95	$216 44	$3155 71		$351 96	$1158 24	$4665 91

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WASHINGTON DISTRICT	No. Members.	Subscribers Voice.	Dues.	Pledge.	Conference Expense.	R. and Relief.	Week of Prayer.	B. Woman.	Scarritt.	Life M.	Local.
Ayden	21	10	$ 21 95	$ 49 75	$	$	$	$	$	$	$ 41 50
Aurora	23	4	27 65				8 00	6 25	25 00		31 00
Eureka	11	6	14 80	16 75							
Fairfield	27		36 80	98 15	25						23 00
Farmville	32		64 80	38 20	5 05		17 45		30		205 65
Greensville	111	20	189 15	102 50	17 50	3 20	23 40				406 57
Nashville	26	22	82 10	12 00			8 20		1 20		175 00
Spring Hope	16	16	30 00	14 35	2 50	10 50	2 60				358 74
Swan Quarter	24	5	25 90								117 66
Stantonsburg	8		16 80								102 35
Tarboro	28		37 65	13 00			4 23				
Washington	28		80 80	85 55	17 15	2 90	9 00				
Warren's Chappel	15	2	12 90				4 14				
Wilson	80		166 15	211 25	33 40	2 95					98 40
Rocky Mount	38		162 65	171 00						25	
Rocky Mount Y. W	43		56 20	105 64	9 97	3 44					50 75
Fremont	28	8	51 75	39 15							39 75
Total	572	93	$ 1071 80	$ 988 79	$ 82 99	$ 32 06	$ 105 28	$ 236 25	$	25	$ 1650 31
5 Baby Divisions	78	3	3 58	6 54							
14 Junion Divisions	359	54	100 56	216 56							
11 Young People's Auxiliaries	147		56 25	55 05	$ 3 00	$ 2 00				$ 2 00	
			$ 160 39	$ 88 15	3 00	2 00				2 00	

DISTRICT SECRETARY'S REPORT, 1918

WILMINGTON DISTRICT	Number Members.	New Members.	Subscribers to Voice.	Mission Study.	Dues.	Conference Expense.	Retirement and Relief Fund.	Pledge.	Week of Prayer.	Scarritt Endowment Fund.	Special	Amount Sent Conference Treas.	Average Per Member.	Local Work.	Grand Total.
Clinton	21	1			$ 22 00	$	$	$ 26 75	$	$	$	$ 48 75	$ 2 32	$ 27 50	$ 76 25
Whiteville	26	5	12		56 80	14 20	8 85	25 00	10 35			115 20	4 09	20 35	135 55
Faison	13	13			8 00		3 50	139 50		2 50		153 50	11 80		153 50
Chadbourn	29	29	9		35 10		7 56	23 25				66 00	2 28		66 00
Richlands	21	1	8	14	50 80	8 25	2 20	69 50	2 75			133 50	6 36		133 50
Wallace	26		14	8	46 50	8 05		75 00				129 55	5 32	91 95	221 50
Maysville	31	31	10		41 20	5 20	4 65	23 50				74 55	2 40	29 20	103 75
Grace, Wilmington	90	4	36	36	194 30	33 55	6 95	310 65	29 33	4 00		578 78	6 43	424 29	1003 07
Burgaw	19	2	4		12 45			5 00				17 45	92	34 70	52 15
Rose Hill	18		15		31 00	4 00	3 00	85 00	6 00	4 00		133 00	7 38	38 50	171 50
Johnson's Chapel	6				9 00			3 00				12 00	2 00		12 00
5th Avenue, Wilmington	35		9	8	83 50	16 75	3 00	100 00	5 00			208 25	5 95	55 85	264 10
Trinity, Wilmington	29		9		61 25			50 00				111 25	3 84	1256 39	1367 64
Jacksonville	22				51 20		1 65	24 00	5 13	4 05		86 03	3 91		86 03
Southport	30		10		18 00	4 45		2 75				25 20	84		25 20
Charity Church	12				6 91							6 91	58		6 91
Kenansville	8	8			3 60			1 65				5 25	66		5 25
1917 (4td Quarter)					151 38	21 08	3 12	135 61	49 29	9 00		369 48			369 48
Total	436	94	136	66	$ 882 99	$ 115 53	$ 44 57	$ 1100 16	$ 107 85	$ 23 55		$ 2274 65		$ 1978 73	$ 4253 38
5 Baby Divisions	74				$ 10 00	$		8 07				18 07			
10 Junion Divisions	253				104 58			141 07			10 00	255 65			
5 Young People's Auxiliaries	52				53 20	9 50	4 25	54 70	1 00	2 00		124 65			
Grand total												$ 2673 02			$ 4651 75

CONSTITUTION OF CONFERENCE SOCIETIES

1. In each Annual Conference there shall be organized a Conference Auxiliary Society to the Woman's Missionary Council.

2. The object of this society is to plan and direct the woman's missionary work of the Conference.

3. The Conference Society shall consist of: Auxiliary delegates representing one or more societies, the number to be determined by each Conference, according to it's requirements.

A District Secretary from each District.

Any officer or manager of the Woman's Missionary Council residing within the bounds of the Conference.

Any editor of the Woman's Department of the Church paper residing within the bounds of the Conference.

Any president of a City Mission Board located within the Conference, and the following officers: A President, a Vice-President, a Corresponding Secretary, a Recording Secretary, a Treasurer and Superintendents of Young People's Work, of Children's Work, of Study and Publicity, of Social Service and of Supplies.

BY-LAWS FOR CONFERENCE SOCIETIES.

1. The executive committee shall transact business in the interim of the annual sessions. Five shall constitute a quorum.

2. Conference officers shall be nominated and elected by ballot at the annual meeting. The officers shall constitute the Executive Committee. The President and Corresponding Secretary shall be members of the Woman's Missionary Council. Only women residing within the bounds of the Conference shall be elected to Conference offices. If after election an officer moves outside the Conference bounds such removal shall be considered her resignation from her Conference office.

3. The District Secretaries shall be nominated by a committee composed of the President, the Vice-President, the Corresponding Secretary, Superintendents of Young People's Work and Children's Work and the Treasurer, and shall be elected by acclamation.

4. Two members of the Executive Committee of the Conference shall be elected at each annual session as alternates to the Woman's Missionary Council.

5. The President shall preside at all meetings of the Conference Society and of the Executive Committee and shall actively advance the interests of the work. She shall sign all orders on the Treasury.

6. The Vice-President shall perform the duties of the President in her absence, and shall assist in actively promoting the interests of the Conference.

7. The Superintendent of Young People's Work shall have charge of the Young People's Work and shall report quarterly to the Council Superintendent of Young People's Work and to the Corresponding Secretary of the Conference. The Superintendent of Children's Work shall have charge of the Children's Work and shall report quarterly to the Council Superintendent of Children's Work and to the Corresponding Secretary of the Conference Society.

8. The corresponding secretary shall conduct the correspondence of the society and supply the auxiliaries with information and with literature if so ordered by the Conference. She shall promote Christian stewardship and shall use all possible means for the organization of adult, young people's, and children's auxiliaries in every charge of the Conference, and shall report each new organization to the secretary

of the Home Base, to whom she shall also make quarterly reports of the work of the Conference by the 15th day of April, July, October and January. She shall make an annual report to the Conference Society and report the preceding session of the Woman's Missionary Council. She shall sign all orders on the treasury.

9. The recording secretary shall give notice of all meetings of the Conference Society and of the executive committee and keep the minutes of the same on record.

10. The treasurer shall receive all funds of the society, keeping an account with each auxiliary and submitting the same annually to an auditor. She shall disburse the Conference expense funds on the written order of the president and the corresponding secretary. She shall make an annual report to the Conference Society and shall send itemized reports promptly on the 15th day of April, July, October and January to the treasurer of the Woman's Missionary Council, therewith transmitting such funds as are collected for the general treasury. She shall also send an itemized statement to the Conference corresponding secretary and to the president.

11. The district secretaries shall organize adult, young people's and children's auxiliaries and use every available means to promote the work of the Woman's Missionary Society in their districts. They shall present a report of their work at the District Conference and shall hold annual meetings in the district, and all-day meetings whenever practicable. They shall conduct the correspondence with auxiliaries and send a quarterly report to the Conference corresponding secretary and a copy of the same to the president of the Conference Society.

12. The superintendent of study and publicity shall promote mission study and Bible study and shall disseminate missionary information through the Church and secular press. She shall report quarterly to the educational secretary.

13. The superintendent of social service shall stimulate and direct the study and investigation of social questions. She shall report quarterly to the Administrative Secretary of Educational Institutions and Social Service.

14. The superintendent of supplies shall superintend the sending of boxes and needed supplies to ministers of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, and to institutions in the home and foreign fields under the direction of the Council. She shall report quarterly to the Council superintendent of supplies.

15. Conference societies shall not project new work nor respond to special calls for aid unless authorized by the Woman's Missionary Council.

16. The membership funds of all auxiliary societies—adult, young people's and children's—also funds contributed to make life members, honorary life members, and honorary life patrons, are a part of the general fund which cannot be diverted by the Conference.

17. A Conference expense fund shall be provided by Conference assessment, the basis to be determined by each Conference according to the requirements. In no case shall membership dues or pledge funds be used for Conference expenses.

18. The thank offering during the week of prayer shall be applied to some specific object, to be determined each year by the Woman's Missionary Council in annual session.

19. The Conference Society may make such by-laws as the work demands, provided they do not conflict with those made by the Council.

20. The last half hour of each forenoon during the annual session of the Conference shall be devoted to Bible study.

CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS OF ADULT AUXILIARIES

CONSTITUTION.

Any number of women may form an Adult Society auxiliary to the Conference Woman's Missionary Society by adopting the following constitution and by-laws and electing the officers herein provided:

1. This society shall be called the Woman's Missionary Society of the.....Church, auxiliary to.....Conference Society of the Woman's Missionary Council of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South.

2. The object of this auxiliary shall be to hasten the coming of the kingdom of God throughout the world by enlisting the women, young people, and children in a study of the needs of the world and in active missionary service; by raising funds for the evangelization of mission fields at home and abroad, for the maintenance of the institutions under the care of the Woman's Missionary Council and for the betterment of civic and social conditions.

3. Any one may become a member of this auxiliary by giving prayer and service and by paying twenty cents per month.

Each member shall be asked to make a voluntary offering for the maintenance and extension of the general work. Such funds shall constitute the pledge of the auxiliary. The dues, pledge, and any other undirected funds shall be prorated by the Council—40 per cent for the home and 60 per cent for the foreign work. Opportunities shall be given for offerings to be directed by individual donors for the support of special work. These special offerings by individuals shall not be prorated.

4. Any one may become a life member of the auxiliary by the payment of $25, an honorary life member by the payment of $100, and an honorary life patron by the payment of $300, provided the money be paid for that special purpose. It shall not be included in the pledge nor in any special assumed by individuals or that has been assigned to the auxiliary. Such membership should be considered as an honor, and should not release the holders from the obligations of active membership.

5. A name may be placed on the memorial roll by the gift of twenty-five dollars for this special purpose.

6. Every auxiliary member shall pay toward the relief and retirement fund and the Conference expense fund.

7. The auxiliary shall carry on local work, which shall consist of the care of the parsonage and the charity work of the church. This work may be done through a committee, the funds to be raised as the auxiliary directs.

8. The officers of the auxiliary shall be a president, two vice-presidents, a corresponding secretary, a recording secretary, a treasurer, an assistant treasurer, and superintendents of study and publicity, of social service, and of supplies. These officers shall constitute the executive committee of the auxiliary.

9. The auxiliary shall hold one or more meetings during the month for the transaction of business and for the study of the work. The first regular monthly meeting of the year shall be devoted to the con-

sideration of plans and financial pledges for the new year and to the installation of officers. At last business meeting of the fiscal year the annual election of officers shall be held.

BY-LAWS.

1. The president shall preside at all meetings of the auxiliary and shall actively advance its interests. In her absence the vice-presidents shall assume her duties.

2. The superintendent of Young People's Work shall be responsible for the organization of the Young People's Auxiliary and shall develop and direct its work. She shall send reports when required by the Superintendent of Young People's Work.

The Superintendent of Children's Work shall develop and direct the work of the Children's Auxiliary. She shall send a quarterly report to the Superintendent of Children's Work of the Conference.

3. The corresponding secretary shall conduct the correspondence of the auxiliary and shall promote Christian stewardship. She shall send to the district secretary, full reports by the first of January, April, July and October. She shall also send to the district secretary and Conference corresponding secretary the names and addresses of all newly elected officers of the auxiliary. She shall send her books to the district meetings for examination.

4. The recording secretary shall keep a record of the regular and called meetings and see that each meeting is properly announced.

5. The treasurer shall collect all moneys of the auxiliary, keep an account of the same, and make an itemized report monthly to the auxiliary. She shall remit to the Conference treasurer on the first of January, April, July and October, giving an itemized statement of the amount, a duplicate of the same to be furnished the auxiliary corresponding secretary. The books of the treasurer shall be audited annually.

6. The assistant treasurer shall have charge of local funds. She shall make a monthly report to the auxiliary, and she shall furnish the treasurer a quarterly statement to be included in her report. She shall pay out money from the local treasury only upon an order signed by both the president of the auxiliary and the chairman of the local committee.

The auxiliary as a society shall not assume obligations for the assistance or support of outside organizations, such as orphanages, hospitals, travelers' aids, Y. W. C. A., etc.

7. The superintendent of study and publicity shall be responsible for the organization of mission study and Bible study classes and prayer circles and for the dissemination of missionary information through the church and secular press. She shall report quarterly to the Conference superintendent of study and publicity.

8. The superintendent of social service shall stimulate and direct the study and investigation of social questions and shall seek to bring about social reforms. She shall report quarterly to the Conference superintendent of social service.

9. The superintendent of supplies shall superintend the sending of boxes and necessary supplies to ministers of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, and to institutions in the home and foreign fields under the direction of the Council. She shall report each box sent and its value to the Conference superintendent of supplies.

10. The secretary, treasurer, and superintendents, shall make written reports at the regular meetings.

CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS FOR YOUNG PEOPLE'S AUXILIARIES

CONSTITUTION.

1. This auxiliary shall be called the Young People's Society of ..... Church, auxiliary to ..... Conference Society of the Woman's Missionary Council, Methodist Episcopal Church, South.

2. The object of this auxiliary shall be to hasten the coming of the kingdom of God throughout the world by enlisting the young people in active missionary service, by raising funds for the evangelization of Mission fields at home and abroad, for the maintenance of the institutions under the care of the Woman's Missionary Council, and for the betterment of civic and social conditions.

3. Any young person fourteen years old and over may become a member of the Auxiliary, by giving regularly prayer, service and a stated offering monthly or quarterly. At approximately the age of twenty-five, members shall transfer to the Adult Auxiliary. Each member shall be asked to make an offering for the maintenance or extension of such objects of the work in the Home and Foreign fields as are assigned to the Young People by the Council. Such funds shall constitute the pledge of the Auxiliary.

4. Any one may become a life member of the auxiliary by the payment of $15, provided the money be paid for that special purpose. It shall not be included in the pledge nor in any special assumed by individuals or that has been assigned to the auxiliary.

5. A name may be placed on the memorial fund by the gift of fifteen dollars for this specific purpose.

6. The officers of the auxiliary, shall be a president, two vice-presidents, a corresponding secretary, a recording secretary, a treasurer, and the superintendents of study and publicity, of social service, and of supplies.

7. The auxiliary shall hold one or more meetings during the month for the transaction of business and for the study of the work. At the last meeting of the fiscal year there shall be the annual election of officers. At the following meeting there shall be a full report of the year's work, installation of officers, and consideration of plans for work and financial pledges for the new year.

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BY-LAWS.

1. The president shall preside at the meeting of the auxiliary and shall in every way advance its interests. In the absence of the president, the vice-president shall preside.

2. The Superintendent of Young People's Work shall keep in touch with the Superintendent of Young People's Work of the Conference and shall report to her quarterly the full scope of the work.

The Superintendent of Children's Work shall assist the Superintendent of Children's Work of the Adult Auxiliary in superintending the Children's Auxiliary.

3. The corresponding secretary shall conduct the correspondence of the auxiliary and shall promote Christian stewardship. She shall report the full scope of the work quarterly to the district secretary, to whom she shall send the names and addresses of the newly elected officers.

4. The recording secretary shall keep a record of the regular and called meetings and shall see that each meeting is properly announced.

5. The treasurer shall collect all funds of the auxiliary, keeping a ledger account of the same, and remit to the Conference treasurer on the first days of January, April, July and October.

6. The superintendent of study and publicity shall be responsible for the organization of mission study and Bible study classes, for prayer circles, and for the dissemination of missionary information through the church and secular press. She shall have charge of subscriptions to the Missionary Voice and the Young Christian Worker. She shall report quarterly on the first day of January, April, July and October to the Conference superintendent of study and publicity.

7. The superintendent of social service shall have charge of social service studies issued by the Council. She shall co-operate wherever possible in the social service movements of her church and community. She shall report quarterly on the first day of January, April, July and October to the Conference superintendent of social service.

8. The superintendent of supplies shall superintend the packing and sending of boxes of supplies to institutions in the home and foreign fields under the direction of the Council. She shall report each box sent and its value to the Conference superintendent of supplies.

CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS FOR YOUNG CHILDREN'S AUXILIARIES

CONSTITUTION.

1. This auxiliary shall be called the Children's Society of..... Church, auxiliary to.....Conference Society of the Woman's Missionary Council of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South.

2. The object of the auxiliary shall be to hasten the coming of the kingdom of God throughout the world by giving the children of the Church missionary education, training them for Christian service, and by cultivating in them habits of liberal and systematic giving and of daily Bible study and prayer.

3. The Children's Auxiliary shall consist of Baby and Junior Divisions, under the direction of the Superintendent of Children's Work of the Woman's Missionary Auxiliary, whose work shall be correlated with that of the Conference Superintendent of Children's Work. All membership, mite box, and other undirected funds shall be sent through the Conference treasurer, to be prorated by the Council on the basis of 40 per cent. to Home and 60 per cent. to Foreign work.

BABY DIVISION.

1. Any child six years of age or under may become a member of the Baby Division upon the payment of an enrollment fee of 25 cents. Each member of the Baby Division shall be given a certificate of membership and shall be furnished with a mite box for voluntary offerings. The mite boxes shall be opened and their contents sent quarterly by the treasurer of the Junior Division to the Conference treasurer. Where there is no Junior Division through which to report, the Superintendent of Children's Work of the Adult Auxiliary shall send the money of the Baby Division to the Conference treasurer.

2. Any one may become a life member of the Baby Division of the Children's Auxiliary by the payment of $5, provided the money be paid for that specific purpose. It shall not be included in the pledge nor in any special assumed by individuals or that has been assigned to the Baby Division of the Children's Auxiliary.

3. Names of children may be placed on the Memorial Roll by the gift of $10.

4. Special meetings for the members of the Baby Division shall be arranged by the Superintendent of Children's Work of the Adult Auxiliary, at which time inspirational programs shall be presented.

5. Members of the Baby Division, at the age of six years, shall be promoted to the Junior Division and shall be given certificates of promotion.

6. The Superintendent of Children's Work of the Adult Auxiliary shall have charge of the Baby Division.

JUNIOR DIVISION.

1. Any child between the ages of six and fourteen may become a member of the Junior Division of the Children's Auxiliary by giving regular prayer, service, and a stated monthly offering to missions. Each member of the Junior Division shall be furnished with a mite box for voluntary offerings. Mite boxes shall be opened quarterly, and the contents, with all other offerings, shall be sent to the Conference treasurer.

2. Any one may become a life member of the Junior Division of the Children's Auxiliary by the payment of $10, provided the money be paid for that special purpose. It shall not be included in the pledge nor in any special assumed by individuals or that has been assigned to the Junior Division of the Children's Auxiliary.

3. Names of children may be placed on the Memorial Roll by the gift of $10.

4. The officers of the Junior Division shall be a president, vice-president, a corresponding secretary, a recording secretary, a treasurer, and superintendents of study and publicity and of social service. Officers with the Superintendent of Children's Work of the Adult Auxiliary, shall hold a meeting of the committee of the Children's Auxiliary.

5. The Junior Division shall meet at least twice a month to transact necessary business and to follow the lines of study arranged by the Woman's Missionary Council, for which programs shall be furnished. At the close of each quarter the Superintendent of Children's Work of the Adult Auxiliary shall hold a meeting of the executive committee of the Junior Division to see that the work of the quarter is correctly and promptly reported to the proper officers. At the last meeting of the fiscal year there shall be the election of officers. The first regular monthly meeting of the year shall be devoted to making plans and financial pledges for the new year's work.

BY-LAWS.

1. The president shall preside at the meeting of the auxiliary and in every way advance its interests. In the absence of the president, the vice-president shall preside.

2. The vice-president shall assist in the work of the Baby Division and shall be agent for the Young Christian Worker.

3. The corresponding secretary shall conduct the correspondence of the auxiliary and promote Christian stewardship and shall report quarterly to the district secretary. The corresponding secretary shall send the names and addresses of all newly elected officers to the district secretary.

4. The recording secretary shall keep a record of the regular and called meetings of the auxiliary and shall see that each meeting is properly announced.

5. The treasurer shall collect all funds of the auxiliary, keeping a ledger account of the same, and shall remit to the Conference treasurer quarterly. The treasurer's books shall be audited annually.

6. The superintendent of study and publicity shall assist in organizing and developing mission study and Bible study classes and shall

send items of missionary news to the Young Christian Worker and local papers.

7. The superintendent of social service shall assist in directing the children in carrying out such lines of social service study and activity as are sent out by the Council.

STANDING RULES.

1. That the Treasurers of each Auxiliary shall send all money and reports to District Secretary of her District and the money and reports of Young People's Work be sent to the Superintendent of Young People'e Work of the Conference and reports of the Junior Division be sent to the Superintendent of Children's Work of the Conference, on the first day of each month of each quarter.

2. That for the purpose of securing accuracy, the Executive of each Auxiliary shall hold a meeting immediately before sending the quarterly reports.

3. That each District Secretary shall pledge an earnest effort to hold an annual meeting in her District at which time she shall urge the great importance of organizing new auxiliaries, doing all in her power to develop the District.

4. That the Conference officers and each Auxiliary President make every effort to have the Week of Prayer observed.

RULES OF ORDER.

1. Each meeting shall open and close with devotional exercises.

2. A motion to reconsider may be made only during the meeting in which the vote is taken or immediately following the reading of the minutes in the next meeting.

3. The majority vote shall rule except in cases where the law requires otherwise.

4. Resolutions shall be in writing and signed by at least two members.

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ANNUAL SESSIONS OF WOMAN'S FOREIGN MISSIONARY SOCIETY OF THE NORTH CAROLINA CONFERENCE

Date. Place.
1879—Wilson, N. C.
1880—Winston-Salem, N. C.
1881—Durham, N. C.
1882—Raleigh, N. C.
1883—Durham, N. C.
1884—Wilmington, N. C.
1885—Raleigh, N. C.
1886—Goldsboro, N. C.
1887—Greensboro, N. C.
1888—New Bern, N. C.
1889—Charlotte, N. C.
1890—Henderson, N. C.
1891—Durham, N. C.
1892—Goldsboro, N. C.
1893—New Bern, N. C.
1894—Raleigh, N. C.
1895—Fayetteville, N. C.

Date. Place.
1896—Kinston, N. C.
1897—Littleton, N. C.
1898—Durham, N. C.
1899—New Bern, N. C.
1900—Wilmington, N. C.
1901—Wilson, N. C.
1902—Raleigh, N. C.
1903—Rockingham, N. C.
1904—Elizabeth City, N. C.
1905—Louisburg, N. C.
1906—Warrenton, N. C.
1907—Greenville, N. C.
1908—Goldsboro, N. C.
1909—Laurinburg, N. C.
1910—Roxboro, N. C.
1911—New Bern, N. C.
1912—Littleton, N. C.

ANNUAL SESSIONS OF WOMAN'S HOME MISSIONARY SOCIETY OF THE NORTH CAROLINA CONFERENCE

Date. Place.
1902—Weldon, N. C.
1903—Raleigh, N. C.
1904—Selma, N. C.
1905—Wilmington, N. C.
1906—Fremont, N. C.
1907—Smithfield, N. C.

Date. Place.
1908—Durham, N. C.
1909—Louisburg, N. C.
1910—Elizabeth City, N. C.
1911—Raleigh, N. C.
1912—Weldon, N. C.

ANNUAL SESSIONS OF WOMAN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY OF NORTH CAROLINA CONFERENCE

Date. Place.
1913—Wilson, N. C.
1914—Durham, N. C.
1915—Rocky Mount, N. C.
1916—Kinston, N. C.

Date. Place.
1917—Wilmington, N. C.
1918—Raleigh, N. C.
1919—Rockingham, N. C.
1920—Oxford, N. C.

NORTH CAROLINA CONFERENCE WOMEN WHO HAVE GONE TO THE FOREIGN FIELD

Miss Ellen Morphis (Mrs. M. L. Wood*) (1859)	China.
Miss Lizzie Martin†	China.
Miss Alice Green (1912)	China.
Miss Sallie Lou McKinnon (1917)	China.
Miss Mary Pescud (Not now in active service.)	Brazil.
Miss Elizabeth Lamb (Not now in active service.)	Brazil.
Miss Elizabeth Davis†	Brazil.
Miss Ida Hankins (1911)	Korea.
Miss Rosa Lowder (1916)	Korea.
Miss Durham (Mrs. J. R. Moose)	Korea.
Miss Beatrice Jenkins†	Korea.
Miss Lillian Bridges† (Mrs. S. A. Stewart)	Japan.
Miss Eva Williams (Mrs. W. K. Mathews)	Japan.

HOME FIELD

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Deaconess Sara Lowder.
Miss Lula Marsh (City Missionary).

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Superintendent of Mission Study and Publicity.....MRS. LEGRAND EVERETT,
Rockingham.
Superintendent of Social Service.....MRS. E. C. DUNCAN,
Raleigh
Superintendent of Supplies.....MRS. IDA T. WILKINS,
Weldon.
Superintendent of Literature.....MRS. E. L. HART,
Wilmington.

DISTRICT SECRETARIES

Durham District.....MISS MATTIE PULLIAM,
Leasburg.
Elizabeth City District.....MRS. GEO. HAWKINS,
Hertford.
Fayetteville District.....MRS. EMMA HUNTER,
Fayetteville.
New Bern District.....MRS. FLORA KENDALL,
Goldsboro.
Raleigh District.....MISS VARA HERRING,
Raleigh.
Rockingham District.....MISS GEORGIA BIGGS,
Rockingham.
Washington District.....MRS. C. E. BLOUNT,
Wilson
Wilmington District.....MRS. JAMES B. BARDIN,
Chadbourn.
Warrenton District.....MISS AMMA GRAHAM,
Warrenton.

OFFICIAL MINUTES

OF THE

WOMAN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY

North Carolina Conference

The Woman's Missionary Society of the North Carolina Conference convend in its Eighth Annual Session in the Methodist Episcopal Church, South Oxford, N. C., Wednesday morning, May 12, 1920, at 9:00 o'clock. In the absence of the President, Mrs. A. M. Gates, who had resigned, the Vice-President, Miss May Edla Smith, presided. The opening devotional exercises were conducted by Miss Elizabeth Lamb. After Scripture lesson and prayer, the Council Hmyn (No. 128) was sung.

The Conference officers and District Secretaries were introduced to the Conference. The bar of the Conference was fixed and delegates were seated by Districts.

The minutes of the *ad interim* Executive Committee meetings were read.

Enrollment cards were then distributed and the following Officers and Delegates were enrolled:

Vice-President—Miss May Edla Smith.
Corresponding Secretary—Mrs. Harvey Boney.
Recording Secretary—Mrs. E. M. Snipes.
Treasurer—Mrs. F. B. McKinne.
Superintendent of Young People—Miss Lillie Duke.
Superintendent of Children's Work—Mrs. N. H. D. Wilson.
Superintendent Study and Publicity—Mrs. T. A. Person.
Superintendent of Literature—Mrs. E. L. Hart.

VISITORS.

Mrs. Mary L. Hargrove, Centenary Secretary of Woman's Missionary Council.
Miss Mabel K. Howell, Administrative Secretary Oriental Fields.
Rev. J. R. Moose, Missionary to Korea, Rose Hill, N. C.
Mrs. J. R. Moose, Missionary to Korea, Rose Hill, N. C.
Rev. J. W. Frank, Missionary to Japan.
Mrs. J W. Frank, Missionary to Japan.
Mrs. Clarence Johnson, Chairman State Department Child Welfare Work.
Rev. M. T. Plyler, President North Carolina Conference Board of Missions.

DELEGATES.

DURHAM DISTRICT—Miss Mattie Pulliam, Secretary.

Trinity Adult Auxiliary—Mrs. R. A. Knight, Delegate; Mrs. A. D. Wilcox, Mrs. H. A. Foushee, visitors.
Memorial Yourg People—Miss Isabelle Martin.
Branson Auxiliary—Mrs. C. L. Adams.
West Durham Auxiliary—Mrs. T. O. Sharpe, Delegate; Mrs. J. S. McBroom, visitor.
Graham Auxiliary—Mrs. C. H. Phillips.
Graham Bright Jewels—Mrs. W. E. Thompson.
Hillsboro Auxiliary—Miss Margaret Forest, Delegate; Mrs. J. E. Blalock, visitor.
Roxboro Auxiliary—Mrs. T. J. Hatchett, Delegate; Miss Anna Webb, Mrs. J. A. Long, Mrs. Kate Bradsher, visitors.
Roxboro Young People—Mrs. J. G. Moore.
Prospect Young People—Marnie Hatchett, John O. Gunn.
Shady Grove Young People—Janie Mahan.
Concord Auxiliary—Mrs. I. G. Stephens, Mrs. J. D. Winstead, Mrs. W. G. Bradsher, Mrs. Fanny Morton.
Bethel Auxiliary—Mrs. J. B. Watlington.
Leasburg Auxiliary—Miss Bessie Thompson, Delegate; Mrs. S. F. Nicks, visitor.
Prospect Auxiliary—Mrs. Edgar A. Allison.
Yanceyville Auxiliary—Mrs. H. S. Turner.
Yanceyville Young People—Miss Bessie W. Turner.
Burlington (Front Street) Auxiliary—Mrs. R. O. Browning, Delegate; Mrs. J. R. Parker, Mrs. A. L. Davis, Mrs. J. W. Murray, visitors.
Burlington (Webb Avenue)—Miss Annie May Atwater.

ELIZABETH CITY DISTRICT—Mrs. George Hawkins, Secretary.

Elizabeth City Auxiliary—Mrs. J. P. Thompson,
Hertford Adult Auxiliary—Mrs. Geo. Edgar Newby, Mrs. E. L. Reed, Mrs. C. W. Gaither.
Hertford (Minnie Wilson) Auxiliary—Mrs. T. S. White.
Hertford (Della Shamburger) Young People—Mrs. R. T. White, Superintendent, Dorothy Stephens, Annie Ruth Morgan.
Edenton Auxiliary—Mrs. W. E. Coffield.
South Mills Auxiliary—Mrs. T. N. Mullen.
Manteo Auxiliary—Mrs. Geo. T. Wescott.
Philadelphia Auxiliary—Mrs. W. O. Hill.
Parker's Auxiliary—Miss Allie Hobbs.
Anderson Auxiliary—Mrs. Julian L. Midgette.

FAYETTEVILLE DISTRICT—Mrs. Emma L. Hunter, Secretary.

Fayetteville (Hay Street) Auxiliary—Miss Elizabeth Lamb, Mrs. Hunter G. Smith.

Fayetteville (Hay Street) Bright Jewels—Mrs. Victor Motz, Mrs. James C. Gilkey.
Dunn Auxiliary—Mrs. J. G. Peck, Mrs. L. J. Best, Mrs. James R. Benter.
Dunn Bright Jewels—Mrs. A. L. Newberry.
Sanford (Steele Street) Auxiliary—Mrs. Linda R. Williams.
Sanford (Alice Green)—Miss Sadie Mathews, Retha Moffitt.
Camp Ground Auxiliary—Mrs. J. O. Talley.
Carthage Auxiliary—Mrs. J. G. Downing.
Carthage (Mary Adams)—Alice Belle Jackson.
Jonesboro Auxiliary—Mrs. J. D. Pegram.
Siler City Auxiliary—Mrs. Cara L. Siler.
Roseboro Auxiliary—Mrs. Troy I. Herring, Mrs. M. D. Kemp.

NEW BERN DISTRICT—Mrs. Fred Mintz, Secretary.

New Bern—Elizabeth Hendren Adult Auxiliary—Mrs. S. H. Scott, Mrs. M. E. Bryan, Mrs. F. M. Shamburger.
New Bern (Jane Meadows Young Women)—Miss Charlotte M. Howard, Miss Charlotte B. Davis, visitor.
Kinston Auxiliary—Mrs. E. Y. Speed.
Kinston Bright Jewels—Mrs. E. V. Webb.
LaGrange Auxiliary—Mrs. John T. Pope, Mrs. J. E. Jones.
Morehead City Young People—Miss Alice Willis.
Beaufort Auxiliary—Mrs. G. W. Duncan.
Trenton Auxiliary—Mrs. J. F. Marquette.
Trenton Young People—Percy Henderson.
New Bern (Centenary) Bright Jewels—Mrs. S. W. Brown.
Goldsboro (St. John) Auxiliary—Mrs. W. D. Hunter, Delegate; Mrs. W. R. Thompson, President.
Goldsboro (St. Paul) Auxiliary—Mrs. Nora S. Johnson, Mrs. Flora M. Kendall.
Mt. Olive Auxiliary—Mrs. Faison Lee, Mrs. E. N. Ricks.
Mt. Olive (Cornelia Love) Young People—Miss Louise Roberts, Miss Eva Louise Flowers.
Mt. Olive Bright Jewels—Mrs. Frank Culbreth.

RALEIGH DISTRICT—Miss Vara Herring, Secretary.

Raleigh (Edenton Street) Auxiliary—Mrs. W. W. Peele.
Raleigh (Edenton Street) Young People—Miss Helen Watkins, Miss Maude Barnes.
Raleigh (Edenton Street) Mary Pescud—Miss Laura B. Young, Miss Mamie C. Turner.
Raleigh (Central Church) Auxiliary—Mattie V. Renn.
Raleigh (Alice Green) M. E. Orphanage—Miss Addie Maie Davis.
Clayton Auxiliary—Mrs. E. B. McCullers, Mrs. W. S. Penn, Mrs. John S. Barnes.
Fuquay Springs Young People—Miss Edith Judd, Willa Holloway.

Plank Chapel Auxiliary—Mrs. J. E. Gill, Mrs. J. B. Allen.
Plank Chapel Young People—Miss Florine Smith.
Shady Grove Auxiliary—Miss Mary J. Renn, Mrs. J. Y. Crews, visitor.
Zebulon Auxiliary—Mrs. T. J. Horton, Mrs. J. F. Coletrane.
Salem Auxiliary—Mrs. M. W. Parham, Delegate; Miss Edith Parham, Mrs. D. N. Hunt, Miss Sara Hunt.
Oxford Auxiliary—Mrs. A. S. Peace.
Oxford (Mariah Brown)—Mrs. W. W. Alston.
Louisburg Auxiliary—Mrs. F. S. Love, President, Mrs. G. F. Smith.
Louisburg Bright Jewels—Mrs. Ernest Furgurson.
Cary Auxiliary—Mrs. J. M. Templeton.
Cary Young People—Miss Mary Eatman, Miss Mae Pleasants.
Bank's Chapel Auxiliary—Miss C. Elizabeth Morris.
Smithfield Auxiliary—Miss Mabel Tomlinson.
Smithfield Young People—Miss Elizabeth Young.
Four Oaks Auxiliary—Mrs. E. B. Craven.

ROCKINGHAM DISTRICT—Miss Georgia Biggs, Secretary.

Rockingham Auxiliary—Mrs. S. H. Steele, Mrs. J. LeGrand Everett.
Rockingham (Mary Steele) Young Women—Faith L. Covington.
Rockingham (Rebecca LeGrand) Young People—Miss Berta West, Miss Octavia Scales.
Rockingham (Superintendent Bright Jewels)—Mrs. W. P. Webb.
Green Lake Auxiliary—Mrs. W. R. McIntosh.
Laurinburg Auxiliary—Mrs. E. H. Gibson, Delegate; Mrs. W. H. Neal, Mrs. T. J. Gill.
Laurinburg (Ellen Willis)—Mrs. R. C. Everett, Eva H. Covington.
Laurinburg Junior Division—Miss Emma W. Gill.
St. John's Young People (Port Gibson)—Miss Vernon Nason.
Rowland Auxiliary—Mrs. B. A. Edens, Delegate; Mrs. W. C. Merritt.
Rowland Young People—Mrs. J. McNeill Smith.
Mt. Gilead Auxiliary—Mrs. D. Giles Ridenhour, Mrs. A. J. Groves.
Hamlet Auxiliary—Mrs. M. W. Moore, Delegate; Mrs. Walter Powers.
St. Pauls Auxiliary—Mrs. Ada L. Dunn, Mrs. J. R. McDonald.
Maxton Auxiliary—Mrs. J. A. Clifton.
Aberdeen Auxiliary—Mrs. L. L. Johnson.
Lumberton Auxiliary—Mrs. W. W. Parker.
Raeford Young People—Neill A. Cole, President.
Fairmont Auxiliary—Mrs. S. M. Floyd.
Troy Auxiliary—Mrs. W. C. LaFrage.

WASHINGTON DISTRICT—Mrs. Wiley Brown, Secretary.

Washington Auxiliary—Mrs. Jesse B. Ross.
Rocky Mount Auxiliary—Mrs. J. F. E. Bates.
Rocky Mount Young Woman's—Mrs. T. A. Cooper.
Rocky Mount (Clark Street) Auxiliary—Mrs. J. M. Baker.
Farmville Young People—Bettie Joyner, Hazel Williams.

Nashville Auxiliary—Miss Leyta R. Carter.
Spring Hope Auxiliary—Mrs. Sallie May Wood, Mrs. N. B. Finch.
Ayden Auxiliary—Mrs. J. S. Derrick.
Greenville Auxiliary—Miss Lil Wilson.
Elm City Auxiliary—Mrs. Frank W. Carter.
Fremont Auxiliary—Mrs. T. C. Hill, Delegate; Mrs. J. B. Exum.
Fremont Junior Division—Mrs. W. T. Phipps.
Wilson Auxiliary—Mrs. Fred A. Woodard, Mrs. C. E. Blount.
Wilson (Elizabeth Lamb) Auxiliary—Mrs. L. D. Knott.

WARRENTON DISTRICT—Miss Emma Graham, Secretary.

Henderson Auxiliary—Mrs. R. B. Powell, Delegate; Mrs. J. D. Cooper, Mrs. J. T. Elmore, Jr., Mrs. N. B. Thomas, Mrs. J. T. Marrow, Mrs. S. T. Peace, Mrs. J. H. Bridgers, Mrs. Asa Parham, Mrs. E. D. Dodd, Mrs. Lawrence, Mrs. Alma Currin, Mrs. R. J. Corbett, Mrs. F. L. Toepleman.
Henderson Young People—Mrs. A. A. Zollicoffer, Miss Edna Thompson.
Henderson Young Woman's Auxiliary—Mrs. S. A. Jones.
Littleton Auxiliary—Mrs. John W. Gay, Delegate; Mattie H. Jenkins, Mrs. C. G. Moore, Mrs. J. C. Sessoms, Mrs. M. J. Grant, Mrs. A. M. Newsom.
Littleton Young People—Miss Eugenia McRae.
Littleton Junior Division—Mrs. R. L. Hayes, Superintendent.
Warrenton Auxiliary—Miss Lula B. Allen, Mrs. S. D. Twitty.
Warrenton Young People—Miss Myrtle Pinnell, Miss Alberta M. Ridout.
Warrenton Junior Division—Mrs. F. M. Allen, Superintendent.
Weldon Auxiliary—Mrs. Lee Johnson.
Macon Auxiliary—Mrs. J. S. Nowell, Mrs. Robert L. Bell.
Winton Auxiliary—Mrs. H. B. Knox.
Zion Auxiliary (Norlina)—Mrs. A. G. Hayes.
Conway Auxiliary—Mrs. L. W. Flythe.
Providence Auxiliary—Miss Essie Porter.
Providence Young People—Mrs. C. J. Maddrey.
Halifax (Elizabeth Brown) Auxiliary—Mrs. W. A. Willcox.
Rosemary Auxiliary—Mrs. C. M. Lance.
Roanoke Rapids Auxiliary—Mrs. J. W. Smoot.
Windsor Auxiliary—Mrs. B. F. Boone.
Windsor Bright Jewels—Mrs. E. S. Dail.

WILMINGTON DISTRICT—Mrs. C. H. Fore, Secretary.

Wilmington (Grace) Auxiliary—Mrs. W. E. Perdew, Miss Cora W. Smith.
Wilmington (Fifth Avenue) Auxiliary—Mrs. Oscar Ellis, Mrs. J. H. Shore.
Wilmington (Fifth Avenue) Young People's—Superintendent, Mrs. J. H. McCracken.
Wilmington (Trinity) Auxiliary—Mrs. R. W. Hodges.
Wilmington (Winter Park) Auxiliary—Mrs. C. L. Williamson.
Wilmington (Winter Park) Bright Jewels—Mrs. W. P. Farrar.

Clinton Auxiliary—Mrs. H. M. Register, Delegate; Mrs. F. Rawls, Mrs. A. K. Parker.

Faison Auxiliary—Miss Bettie Taylor, Delegate; Mrs. H. J. Faison.

Richlands Young People—Miss Olive Murrill, Miss Bettie Rand.

Rose Hill Auxiliary—Mrs. J. R. Moose.

The following committees were named:

Extension of Work—Mrs. H. J. Boney, Chairman; Miss Mattie Pulliam, Mrs. Emma Hunter, Mrs. George Hawkins, Mrs. Fred Mintz, Miss Vara Herring, Miss Georgia Biggs, Mrs. Wiley Brown, Miss Amma Graham, Mrs. C. H. Fore, and Presidents of Auxiliaries.

Young People's Work—Miss Lillie Duke, Chairman; Miss Isabelle Martin, Mrs. J. G. Moore, Miss Bessie Turner, Miss Dorothy Stephens, Miss Sadie Mathews, Miss Alice Willis, Miss Louise Roberts, Miss Mae Pleasants, Miss Berta West, Mrs. J. McNeill Smith, Miss Bettie Joyner, Miss Eugenia McRae, Miss Olive Murrill, and all Young People.

Children's Work—Mrs. N. H. D. Wilson, Chairman; Mrs. James R. Butler, Mrs. James C. Gilkey, Mrs. A. L. Newberry, Miss Emma Gill, and all Superintendents of Children's Work.

Mission Study and Publicity—Mrs. T. A. Person, Chairman; Mrs. LeGrand Everett, and all Superintendents of Mission Study and Publicity.

Social Service—Mrs. E. N. Ricks, Chairman; Mrs. S. H. Scott, Mrs. W. H. Neal, Mrs. H. J. Faison, and all Superintendents of Social Service.

Finance—Mrs. F. B. McKinne, Chairman; Mrs. W. W. Peele, Mrs. Lee Johnson, and all District Secretaries.

By-Laws and Standing Rules—Miss Elizabeth Lamb, Chairman; Mrs. F. B. McKinne, Mrs. Harvey Boney, Mrs. N. H. D. Wilson.

Memoirs—Mrs. S. H. Scott, Chairman; Mrs. T. J. Gill, Mrs. H. J. Faison, Mrs. Mac. Smith.

Courtesies—Mrs. E. T. White, Mrs. D. K. Taylor, Mrs. J. G. Shotwell.

Resolutions—Mrs. F. A. Woodard, Chairman; Mrs. T. S. White, Mrs. R. A. Knight, Miss Eva Covington.

Pages—Misses Hixie White, Muriel Craven, Londa Shamburger, Helen Knowles, Annie Thompson Bradsher, Dora Kimball Allred.

Mrs. R. L. Brown, of Oxford, delivered a beautiful address of welcome, to which Mrs. N. H. D. Wilson responded.

Miss Smith read a message from Mrs. A. M. Gates. (See President's Message.)

Mrs. N. H. D. Wilson made a motion that James Warren Gates, son of Mrs. A. M. Gates, be made a life member of the Baby Division. The motion was unanimously carried. The Secretary was instructed to send a message to Master Gates.

Miss Smith read a message from Miss Mary Ella McCall, student at Scarritt, from our Conference. Mrs. S. H. Scott

led in an earnest prayer for Miss McCall, Miss Sallie Lou McKinnon and all our daughters engaged in missionary work. Miss Lillie Duke and Mrs. McKinne were requested to write to Miss McCall.

Mrs. Harvey Boney, Corresponding Secretary, then gave a most thorough and interesting account of the Council meeting at Kansas City.

Miss Vara Herring read the report of Mrs. E. C. Duncan, Superintendent of Social Service. The report was adopted. (See Officers' Report No. 7.)

Mrs. Clarence Johnson, Superintendent of Child Welfare Work in the State, was introduced to the Conference and made an interesting and instructive address on "State Department Child Welfare Work." She urged the women to inform themselves as to the welfare work being done in their own counties and to co-operate with their County Superintendent of Public Welfare. She also urged the women to wire or write their Representatives to support the bill for State censorship of moving pictures.

Miss Smith read a loving message from Mrs. R. A. Willis, President Emeritus of the Conference. Mrs. S. H. Scott also delivered a verbal message of love from Mrs. L. M. Hendren. The Secretary was instructed to send messages to Mrs. Willis and Mrs. Hendren.

Mrs. J. R. Moose and Mrs. J. W. Frank were introduced to the Conference.

Announcements were made, after which Rev. J. R. Moose conducted the noon devotional. A beautiful solo, "Just As I Am," was sung by Mrs. F. S. Love. Isaiah, 6th chapter, was read as a Scripture lesson, Mr. Moose making a heart-searching talk on consecration, and closing with a prayer of consecration.

WEDNESDAY—AFTERNOON SESSION.

Memorial service was conducted by Mrs. F. M. Shamburger. (See "In Memoriam.")

The Conference was called to order by the Vice-President. The minutes of the morning session were read and approved.

Mrs. T. A. Person, Superintendent of Mission Study and Publicity, requested that we stand and sing "We're Marching to Zion," after which she read her report. Report adopted. (Officers' Report No. 6.)

"The Circle Plan for the Auxiliary" was most interestingly presented by Mrs. LeGrand Everett. It was decided to have this paper published so that each Auxiliary could have a copy.

Mrs. Mary L. Hargrove, Centenary Secretary of the Woman's Missionary Council, and Miss Mabel K. Howell, Administrative Secretary of Oriental Fields, were introduced to the Conference; also Rev. J. R. Moose, missionary to Korea; Rev. J. W. Frank, missionary to Japan; Rev. M. T. Plyler, President of the North Carolina Conference Board of Missions, and Rev. E. D. Dodd, of the North Carolina Conference. Announcements were then made and the meeting adjourned.

THURSDAY—MORNING SESSION.

The session opened with song, "I Need Thee Every Hour," after which Mrs. J. R. Moose led in prayer and read a portion of Scripture from the 10th chapter of Luke, drawing lessons from the incident of our Lord in the home of Mary, Martha and Lazarus. The Conference was then called to order and the minutes of the previous session were read and approved.

Miss Smith then told the story of the wedding ring given by a Korean woman, which Miss Ida Hankins redeemed and sent to the Wilmington Auxiliary as an incentive to give for this worthy cause. A collection was taken to help "pay" for this ring.

Miss Mabel Howell, who has recently made a tour of our mission fields, gave us a most interesting account of the work of our own North Carolina daughters in the foreign field.

Rev. Thurston B. Price, Evangelist; Rev. N. H. D. Wilson and Mr. J. Dale Stentz, singer, were introduced to the Conference. Mr. Stentz delighted the Conference with a beautiful solo.

Mrs. F. B. McKinne, Treasurer, read her annual report, showing a splendid increase for the past year. Report adopted. (Officer's Report No. 3.)

Mrs. E. B. McCullers, of Clayton, asked the privilege of contributing a scholarship at Scarritt.

Mrs. Harvey Boney, Corresponding Secretary, read her annual report. Report adopted. (Officers' Report No. 2.)

The reports of the District Secretaries were then made, as follows:

Durham District—Miss Mattie Pulliam. (District Secretaries' Report No. 1.)

Elizabeth City District—Mrs. Georgia Hawkins. (District Secretaries' Report No. 2.)

Fayetteville District—Mrs. Emma Hunter. (District Secretaries' Report No. 3.)

New Bern District—Mrs. Fred Mintz. (District Secretaries' Report No. 4.)

Raleigh District—Miss Vara Herring. (District Secretaries' Report No. 5.)

Rockingham District—Miss Georgia Biggs. (District Secretaries' Report No. 6.)

Washington District—Mrs. Wiley Brown. (District Secretaries' Report No. 7.)

Warrenton District—Miss Amma Graham. (District Secretaries' Report No. 8.)

Wilmington District—Mrs. C. H. Fore. (District Secretaries' Report No. 9.)

Following the report of each District Secretary for the adult Auxiliaries, Miss Lillie Duke, Superintendent of Young People's, and Mrs. N. H. D. Wilson, Superintendent of Childrens' Work, reported their work for each District.

Miss Lillie Duke, Superintendent of Young People's Work, read her annual report, which was adopted. (Officers' Report No. 4.)

The Brazilian National Flag, given by Miss Mary Pescud, and to be presented each year to the Young People's Auxiliary making the highest average per capita, was presented to Rockingham Young People's Auxiliary.

Mrs. N. H. D. Wilson, Superintendent of Children's Work, read her annual report, which was adopted. (Officers' Report No. 5.)

Miss Mabel Howell made an interesting and instructive talk on the Inter-Church World Movement.

Messages were read from Mrs. R. A. Willis, Mrs. Allen Powers, Mrs. L. M. Hendren and Master James Warren Gates.

Mrs. Hargrove, the oldest member of the Oxford Auxiliary, and Mrs. Roberts were introduced to the Conference. Mrs. Love then sang "Did You Forget to Pray." Mrs. M. L. Hargrove conducted the noon devotional, leading in earnest prayer, and reading selection from Judges, from which she brought us a wonderful message on the subject, "Woman's Task One of Inspiration and Public Service: Deborah."

The benediction was pronounced by Rev. J. W. Frank.

THURSDAY—AFTERNOON SESSION.

Mrs. Flora Kendall, of Goldsboro, conducted the devotional. Hymn, "Love Divine, All Love Excelling," was sung, and Mrs. E. N. Ricks led in prayer. The 91st Psalm read as a Scripture lesson.

Miss Smith then stated that in the collection taken for the Korean ring, a ring had been given by Mrs. W. G. LaFrage, of Troy Auxiliary, for this same cause.

Miss Mabel Howell led an earnest prayer that the young people might offer themselves for definite service. Mrs. W. C. Merritt, whose two daughters have volunteered for service, and son for the ministry, was introduced to the Conference. Miss Smith then asked all preachers' wives and daughters to come to the front, stating that much was due their efforts in carrying on the missionary work. Miss Mabel Howell paid a lovely tribute to Mrs. Gee.

The Secretary was instructed to send a telegram to the Methodist Episcopal General Conference, in session at Des Moines, assuring them of our prayers on the subject of union.

The report of Mrs. Ida T. Wilkins, Superintendent of Supplies, was read by the Secretary. Report adopted. (Officers' Report No. 9.)

Mrs. E. L. Hart, Superintendent of Literature, reported literature sent regularly. Report adopted. (Officers' Report No. 8.)

The report of Mrs. V. Royster, Assistant Editor of the *Advocate* page, was read by Mrs. F. B. McKinne. Report adopted. (Report No. 10.)

Miss Mabel Howell spoke on "The Evangelization of America."

Exercises for the children were then held, as follows: Song by Bright Jewels, of Oxford; talk on "The Children of Korea," by Mrs. J. R. Moose; song by Bright Jewels; talk on "The Children of Japan," by Mrs. J. W. Frank; song, "My Faith Looks Up to Thee," by three girls from the Oxford Orphanage; talk on "The Children of Brazil," by Miss Elizabeth Lamb.

Mr. J. R. Moose showed some Korean vessels of interest.

The Chinese Banner, presented for the largest amount raised during the year was won by the Kinston Bright Jewels, and the Korean Banner, given for the largest amount per capita, was won by the Hay Street (Fayetteville) Junior Division.

Five young men, delegates from Young Peoples' Societies, were introduced. Rev. L. E. Thompson, of Henderson, was introduced.

The following pledges were than made by the District Secretaries for 1920:

Durham District	$ 5,000.00
Fayetteville District	2,500.00
New Bern District	4,466.55
Raleigh District	6,000.00
Rockingham District	7,500.00
Washington District	4,000.00
Warrenton District	5,000.00
Wilmington Ditsrict	3,000.00
Elizabeth City District	3,500.00
Total for adults	$40,966.55
Young People	3,125.00
Junior Division	6,000.00
Grand Total	$50,091.55

Mrs. McKinne led in an earnest prayer that we might be able to do what we have undertaken in the Master's cause.

Miss Elizabeth Lamb stated that Miss Ruth Blanks, Corresponding Secretary of the Virginia Conference, had extended an invitation to the officers and District Secretaries of the North Carolina Conference to be guests of the Virginia Conference at the Council meeting next year. A motion was made that the Conference pay the expenses of the District Secretaries to the Council meeting.

An invitation was extended by Miss Elizabeth Lamb for the Conference to meet in Fayetteville next year. This was unanimously accepted.

The report of the Committee on Young People's Work was read by Miss Roberta West. Report adopted. (Committee Report No. 3.)

The report of the Committee on Childrens' Work was read by Mrs. N. H. D. Wilson, which was adopted. (Committee Report No. 4.)

The report of the Committee on Social Service was read by Mrs. H. J. Faison. This report was amended and adopted. (Committee Report No. 6.)

The report of the Committee on Finance was read by Mrs. F. B. McKinne. Report adopted. (Committee Report No. 2.)

The report of the Committee on Extension of Work was read by Miss Amma Graham. Report adopted. (Committee Report No. 1.)

The report of the Committee on Memoirs was read by Mrs. Mac. Smith. Report adopted. (Committee Report No. 7.)

A motion was made that the standard of the Roll of Honor be published in the minutes.

The benediction was pronounced by Rev. R. C. Craven.

FRIDAY—MORNING SESSION.

The session opened at 9:00 o'clock, with devotional exercises conducted by Mrs. Mary L. Hargrove. Hymn, "Oh, Master, Let Me Walk With Thee," was sung, followed by prayer. Mrs. Hargrove then read a lesson from the 16th

chapter of Matthew, from which she brought a message on "Woman's Task That of Self-Sacrifice and Ministry—Mary Magdalene." Mrs. F. S. Love then sang "In the Garden." Miss Smith took the chair, and the minutes of the previous session were read and approved.

The report of the Committee on Mission Study and Publicity was read by Mrs. T. A. Person, which was adopted. (Committee Report No. 5.)

Mrs. Person then read the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Conference adopt the plan being effectively used by other organizations of having lunch furnished by some other local organization, and that the expenses for lunch be paid by the home auxiliary of each delegate, thus allowing time for our hostesses to attend the sessions.

MRS. T. A. PERSON,
MRS. W. H. NEAL.

This resolution was adopted.

The report of the Committee on By-Laws and Standing Rules was read by Miss Elizabeth Lamb, which was adopted. (Committee Report No. 8.)

Mrs. Fred A. Woodard read the report of the Committee on Resolutions, which was unanimously adopted by a rising vote. (Committee Report No. 9.) A motion was carried that the Secretary send a copy of these resolutions to the Oxford paper.

A motion was made that at the next Conference time be given for the delegates to make two-minute talks.

Mrs. Mary L. Hargrove was called to the chair to conduct the election of officers. The following officers were elected:

President—Miss May Edla Smith.
Vice-President—Mrs. S. H. Scott.
Corresponding Secretary—Mrs. Harvey Boney.
Recording Secretary—Mrs. E. M. Snipes.
Treasurer—Mrs. F. B. McKinne.
Superintendent of Young People—Miss Lillie Duke.
Superintendent of Children's Work—Mrs. N. H. D. Wilson.
Superintendent of Mission Study and Publicity—Mrs. LeGrand Everett.
Superintendent of Social Service—Mrs. E. C. Duncan.
Superintendent of Supplies—Mrs. Ida T. Wilkins.
Mrs. E. L. Hart was appointed Superintendent of Literature.

A motion was made and carried that the selection of editor for the Woman's Page in the *Advocate* be left to the President and Corresponding Secretary, as set forth in the Council rules; also that an effort be made to secure a page in the *Advocate* for the North Carolina Conference.

The following were named as District Secretaries:

Durham District—Miss Mattie Pulliam.
Elizabeth City District—Mrs. George Hawkins.
Fayetteville District—Mrs. Emma Hunter.
New Bern District—Mrs. Flora Kendall.
Raleigh District—Miss Vara Herring.
Rockingham District—Miss Georgia Biggs.
Washington District—Mrs. C. E. Blount.
Warrenton District—Miss Amma Graham.
Wilmington District—Mrs. James B. Bardin.

A resolution was passed that at each session of the Conference Delegates be given the privilege of suggesting one name to the Executive Committee for Secretary of their District.

Mrs. F. B. McKinne was elected Alternate to the President, Miss May Edla Smith, to the Council meeting, and Miss Lillie Duke Alternate to Mrs. Harvey Boney, Corresponding Secretary.

On motion of Mrs. Hunter Smith, it was decided to hold the election of officers on the second day of Conference on re-assembling after the lunch.

Miss May Edla Smith, the recently elected President, made a most earnest appeal for the support of the women to supply the power to carry on the work.

The Conference adjourned, with the benediction by Rev. R. C. Craven.

TUESDAY EVENING—EVENING SERVICES.

The first service of the Annual Meeting was held in the Methodist Church, Tuesday evening, May 11th, at 8:00 o'clock. Hymn 128, Methodist Hymnal, which was chosen as the Council Hymn, was sung. Rev. B. C. Thompson led in reading the 111th Psalm responsively.

Miss May Edla Smith, Vice-President, introduced the speakers of the evening, Rev. J. R. Moose and Rev. J. W. Frank. Mr. Moose spoke on "The Call of Korea," and having spent something like twenty years in that country, was well qualified to deal with this subject. The choir sang a beautiful anthem, "I Heard the Voice of Jesus." Mr. Frank then spoke on "The Needs of Japan," and he, too, having spent years in Japan, presented its needs very earnestly. The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper was then administered by Rev. R. C. Craven, Pastor of the Oxford Church; Rev. B. C. Allred, Rev. B. C. Thompson, Rev. J. W. Frank and Rev. J. W. Moose.

WEDNESDAY EVENING.

The services opened with a beautiful anthem by the choir, "Send Out the Light." Mrs. Harvey Boney introduced Mrs. J. W. Frank, who conducted the devotional. Miss Mabel Howell led in prayer, after which Mrs. Frank read a Scripture lesson from I Samuel, 3rd chapter, from which she brought us a lesson on the necessity of prayer, to know and to listen to the voice of God, and to be ready to obey. Rev. M. T.Plyler, President of the North Carolina Conference Board of Missions, spoke on "The Obligation of the Auxiliary to the Country Church," especially stresssing the personal touch. Solo, "Oh, Love That Wilt Not Let Me Go," was sung by Mrs. J. C. Currin. Mrs. Mary L. Hargrove, Centenary Secretary of the Woman's Missionary Council, brought us a message on "Christian Obligations at the Present Hour," reminding us of the importance of the hour and our obligation to meet its need.

THURSDAY EVENING.

Anthem, "Hark, Hark, My Soul!" was sung by the choir. Miss Smith introduced Miss Lucille Womble, of the faculty of Louisburg College, who led the devotional. A beautiful quartette was sung by members of the choir.

Miss Mabel Howell, Administrative Secretary of Oriental Fields of the Woman's Missionary Council, spoke on "The Unprecedented Need in the East." Miss Howell has recently made a tour of the East and brought us first-hand information of these needs.

Anthem, "Seek Ye the Lord," was sung by the choir.

An interesting and instructive pageant, "Hanging of the Sign," was given by the young people of Oxford.

The benediction was pronounced by Rev. J. W. Frank.

In Memoriam

Memorial Services were conducted Wednesday afternoon at the opening devotional exercies, by Mrs. F. M. Shamburger. Hymn, "Nearer My God to Thee," was sung, and Scripture lessons from Psalms, 39:4-7 and Acts 9:36-42, were read. Mrs. W. H. Speight led in prayer. The names of those members of Auxiliaries who had passed away during the past year were called and words of love and appreciation were expressed by many:

DURHAM DISTRICT.

MRS. FANNIE CARR BIVINS,
Memorial Church, Durham.

MRS. T. J. WALKER,
Roxboro.

MRS. MAGGIE GRIFFIN,
Trinity Church, Durham.

ELIZABETH CITY DISTRICT.

MRS. J. E. DANIELS,
Wanchese.

MRS. ALICE FEARING,
Elizabeth City.

MRS. ANNIE M. COSTEN,
Philadelphia Auxiliary, Sunbury.

MRS. J. L. SAWYER,
Gatesville.

FAYETTEVILLE DISTRICT.

MRS. M. E. ADAMS,
Carthage.

MRS. E. L. PARKER,
Dunn.

MRS. E. H. KING,
Hay Street, Fayetteville.

MRS. CARRIE CADDELL,
Jonesboro.

MRS. NICEY HUGHES,
Siler City.

NEW BERN DISTRICT.

MRS. SARAH GILLAM,
Trenton.

MRS. J. A. MEADOWS,
Centenary, New Bern.

MRS. R. P. WILLIAMS,
Centenary, New Bern.

MRS. KATE THORNTON,
Centenary, New Bern.

MRS. S. A. SUMMERLIN,
St. John's, Goldsboro.

RALEIGH DISTRICT.

MRS. J. P. HUNT,
Oxford.

MRS. D. T. CHEATHAM,
Oxford.

MRS. J. E. STEVICK,
Central Church, Raleigh.

MRS. W. H. PLEASANTS,
Louisburg.

ROCKINGHAM DISTRICT.

MISS HANNAH PICKET STEELE,
Rockingham.

MRS. MARTHA COOPER,
Rockingham.

MRS. NICHOLSON,
Rockingham.

MRS. ROBERT COVINGTON,
Laurinburg.

MRS. MATTIE EVERETT,
Laurinburg.

MRS. NANCY DOBBS,
Laurinburg.

MRS. FANNIE NEAL,
Laurinburg.

MISS GALDYS BOSTICK,
St. John's Young People.

WARRENTON DISTRICT.

MRS. ENOCH POWELL,
Henderson.

MRS. T. F. ANDERSON,
Weldon.

MRS. M. V. MOSELY.
Weldon.

MISS LILY GAY SHAW,
Weldon Young People.

MRS. C. R. RODWELL,
Warrenton.

MRS. MAYFIELD,
Norlina.

WASHINGTON DISTRICT.

MRS. ANNIE BISHOP CLARK,
"Elizabeth Lamb" Auxiliary, Wilson.

WILMINGTON DISTRICT.

MRS. WILLIAM HANKINS,
Grace Church, Wilmington.

MRS. J. D. NUTT,
Trinity Church, Wilmington.

MRS. JAMES HOWARD,
Trinity Church, Wilmington.

MRS. J. E. MALLARD,
Rose Hill, N. C.

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

(No. 1.)

As women of America and members of the North Carolina Missionary Society, we sit together in this Annual Session, looking back over the year of Missionary seed sowing and forward in the new year of opportunity.

We review with great gratitude the work of the society for the year 1919. For the first time in the history of the Council the number of adult organizations has gone beyond 5,000. The returns of the collections show that the Conferences far exceeded the greatest expectations of our leaders. Our own Conference made a splendid record in number of organizations, in membership and in finances. Our children contributed more money than ever before, and our young people made a wonderful increase.

As I look forward into the new year I seem to hear a voice say to the womanhood of America: "Behold I have set before thee an open door, and no man can shut it." Rev. 3–8. Surely, we face a new era. The rapid approach of national suffrage and the possession of laity rights in the Church compel us to face today opportunities and responsibilities which are almost appalling. Never in the history of the world have there been so great demands upon our time, strength and faith. Among the many calls we must choose where we can best invest our strength.

The great international war left us with all the world akin and gave us a keen sense of our responsibility as a Church to all non-Christian nations. It inspired us to contribute of our means to the great Centenary movement, that we might gird ourselves for the carrying on of a great world war against sin and ignorance and vice. This is an "open door and no man can shut it."

There were kept at fighting strength 30,000,000 soldiers during the winning days of the international war. For this world war the Church has an army of about 25,000 missionary soldiers to deliver 1,000,000,000 people from spiritual bondage.

We have given of our means through the Centenary and through our own Society, as our splendid financial report shows, but that is not all that God requires of us Christian women. The great international war was not won by dollars, nor by food, nor by stratagem, though all of these things played a part. The war was won by throwing the sons of the nations into the front lines. The giving of money is sometimes the most selfish thing we can do. God is not going to be satisfied with our dollars when He asks for our daughters. A mother was recently put to the test in her Church, and she found that she could gladly respond to the call for all parents to rise who were willing for their boys to be preachers but, when all who were willing for their daughters to be missionaries asked to stand, she was compelled to remain seated, for she was not willing. Can we pray for volunteers and withhold our own? The Master is calling our North Carolina girls and they are responding to the clarion call for service. Shall we fail them, either in sympathy or in support? We shall have two, and possibly more, of our North Carolina girls in training at Scarritt next year. Shall it not be our pleasure to give scholarships to as many of our own daughters as will give their lives for His service?

The Corresponding Secretary of the South Georgia Conference said last summer at a meeting of the Presidents and Corresponding Secretaries, that South Georgia stood ready to give scholarships to all young women whose own conferences could not support them while in training; "but," she added, "if South Georgia gives them these scholarships, she will claim them as her representatives when they go out into the mission fields." I said in my heart, "North Carolina will care for her own daughters." The response to the call for the McCall scholarship proved that my confidence was not misplaced, and that we could easily make our Scarritt scholarships a permanent fund, and so be prepared to care for our own young women.

We are banded together, it is true, for the purpose of financing our mission work; our collections hold an important place; but are we merely a financial board? Is it not true that the real object of our organization is, after all, the awakening of the womanhood of the Church and of the world to their spiritual need, and to cultivate their spiritual life? Let us as individuals, as well as organizations, adopt the text suggested by our Council leaders as our motto for the year, namely, "That in all things He might have the pre-eminence." (Col. 1–18.)

It is our privilege and our obligation to make our monthly meetings so inspiring that every woman will go away with her heart burning within her because she has been with the Christ. He said, "And I, if I be lifted up, will draw all men unto Me." The Missionary Society is not a club for social preferment, nor even for the making of splendid reports; our primary object must always be the lifting up of the Christ, "That in all things He might have the pre-eminence." Let us go down from this sojourn on the mountain top of inspiration definitely resolved to accomplish the following specific things in our home communities:

1. To render our best service in an intensive effort to organize Missionary Societies wherever possible and to enlist unenlisted women.
2. To place our financial goal just as high as our faith and our consecrated effort can reach. We must take our full share in the $1,000,000,000 pledged by the Council.
3. To support our North Carolina girls while in training.
4. To cultivate the spiritual life of the womanhood of the church.
5. To take for our guiding motto that last clause of Col. 1:18: "That in all things He might have the pre-eminence."

REPORT OF CONFERENCE CORRESPONDING SECRETARY

(No. 2.)

Number Adult Auxiliaries	212
Number new Auxiliaries (net)	32
Number Members Adult Auxiliaries	5,271
Number new members	1,040
Number subscribers to *Voice*	1,384
Number subscribers to *Young Christian Worker*	850
Number Auxiliaries presenting stewardship	100
Numbear Auxiliaries observing Week of Prayer	92
Names added to Memorial Roll	1
Names on Roll of Honor	12

Again, it is a joy to report work of North Carolina Conference. There has been a decided increase in every department. The total amount of money sent Council Treasurer was $38,320.97, making about 20 per cent increase. We paid $21,676.12 on pledge. Rockingham District again leads in amount of money raised.

In the Adult Department there is an increase of 24 per cent in membership and 19 per cent in Auxiliaries. Of the 32 new Auxiliaries Warrenton District gained 8. North Carolina's Young People stood first in organization and membership increase. Our children attained a goal of 5 per cent increase in organization and 10 per cent increase in members.

WEEK OF PRAYER

Twenty-three Auxiliaries observed Week of Prayer in Warrenton District; twenty-one in Rockingham District; eighteen in Raleigh District; fifteen in Durham District; fourteen in Elizabeth City, Washington and Wilmington Districts; ten in New Bern District; and nine in Fayetteville District.

Prayer Specials have been advocated and stressed both at District Meetings and by Correspondence. Next year we wish to enroll every Auxiliary that has a Prayer Special.

STEWARDSHIP AND ROLL OF HONOR

Only one hundred Auxiliaries were reported to have presented Christian Stewardship during the year. Surely, there were Auxiliaries that failed to report. It is difficult to carry out a missionary program without presenting stewardship. Twelve Auxiliaries reported having obtained Roll of Honor. There are many others that failed to report.

DISTRICT MEETINGS

The District Meetings as a whole were well attended and the programs indicated marked spiritual growth and increase of interest on the part of our women. The District Secretaries have been called our "key women." They have organized, encouraged and prayed Auxiliaries into existence; have collected the money, and have been prompt to report. Too much cannot be said

for our Auxiliary President and officers who labor on, in spite of discouragement, and for the number who can and does contribute definite prayer and contribution.

SCARRITT BIBLE AND TRAINING SCHOOL

The Districts responded liberally to the support of Mary Ella McCall's Scholarship Fund. W paid one quarter's tuition for Laura Crump at Scarritt. Jennie Congleton, of Greenville, is bearing her own expense. When we hear the numerous urgent calls for laborers in his field, it makes us heart-sick that our great North Carolina Conference has not sent more students into training.

SPECIAL

The following Auxiliaries support scholarships and day schools. Young Women, Lauringburg, Lillian Gill, Petropolis Brazil; Mary Steel, Pat Leak, Brevard; Miss Duke's Sunday School Class, Lillie Duke, Caroline Institute; Banks' Auxiliary, Della Bobbitt, Huchow; Edenton Street and Mary Pescud, Hortense Rogers, Vashti; Lucia Williams, L. B. Williams, Memphis; Mary Pescud, Brazil; Rockingham Auxiliary, Joy Hardie, Songdo, Korea; P. A. Reaves, Reaves, China; N. C. Conference, Mary Ella McCall, Scarritt.

Bible Women are supported by Louisburg, Sanford, Carthage, Gates County Institute and Mrs. S. I. Harrell; Queen Street, Kinston, Mrs. Felix Harvey, Nashville, Aurora, Farmville and Mary Steele; Trinity Auxiliary supports Evangelistic helper for Miss Green; Rockingham District supports Miss Sallie Lou McKinnon.

Respectfully submitted,
MRS. HARVEY BONEY,
Corresponding Secretary.

TREASURER'S ANNUAL REPORT

(No. 3.)

Dues:		
Adult	$10,401.63	
Young People	897.67	
Junior Division	1,346.38	
Baby Division	63.94	
Life Membership	5.00	$12,714.62
Pledge:		
Adult	$14,902.34	
Young People	1,500.18	
Junior Division	3,001.06	
Baby Division	250.18	
Carolina College Girls	85.00	

Bible Women:		
Lou Hill Davis	$ 65.50	
Isadore Sills	120.00	
Katherine Anderson Hawks	120.00	
Rosanna Humber	120.00	
Helen Fitts	65.74	
Evangelistic Helper for Miss A. Green	300.00	
Sakar Hosakana	156.00	
In China—Not named	90.00	
Annie Dewey	120.00	
Malena Grant	120.00	
Fannie Wood Steele	120.00	
Schools:		
Reavis Day School	$ 200.00	
Joy Hardee Bible School	245.62	
Day School	4.50	
Scholarships:		
Lille Duke	$ 50.00	
Lucie R. Williams	40.00	
Zung	100.00	
Mary Pescud	40.00	
Lillian Gill	40.00	
Della Bobbitt	40.00	21,896.12
Home Scholarships:		
Scarritt Scholarship	$ 201.00	
Brevard	105.00	
Hortense Rogers Vashti	100.00	406.00
Retirement and Relief:		
Adult	$ 399.17	
Young People	62.64	461.81
Week of Prayer:		
Adult	$ 2,052.27	
Young People	138.86	
Junior Division	159.81	2,350.94
Scarritt Endowment Fund:		
Adult	$ 357.63	
Young People	53.85	411.48
Total Remitted to Council Treasurer		$38,240.97

RECEIPTS

Conference Expense Fund:		
Balance from 1918	$ 385.53	
Adult	1,396.98	
Young People	152.72	$1,935.23

DISBURSEMENTS

Expense for Year:		
Printing	$ 119.50	
Conference Officers	1,167.20	
Balance on Hand	648.53	1,935.23

RECEIPTS

Scarritt Scholarship:		
Sent General Treasurer	$ 201.00	

DISBURSEMENTS

To Miss McCall	$ 50.00	
Balance on Hand	220.32	471.32

SUMMARY

Receipts from Auxiliaries	$40,060.99	
Balance from 1918	385.53	$40,446.52
Remitted Council Treasurer	$ 38,240.97	
Remitted Miss McCall	50.00	
Our Expenses	1,286.70	39,577.67
Balance on hand		$868.85

Received from Auxiliaries 1919	$40,060.99
Received from Auxiliaries 1918	32,748.42
Total	$7,312.57

INCREASE, 1919

Auxiliaries	$40,060.99
Local Work	18,889.88
Grand Total	$58,950.87

MRS. F. B. MCKINNE,
Treasurer.

Audited and found correct. This the 27th day of February, 1920.

F. J. BEASLEY,
Auditor.

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF YOUNG PEOPLE'S WORK

(No. 4.)

As Superintendent of Young People's Work of the North Carolina Conference, I am glad to report that in 1919 we made the highest record in our history. There was a real awakening, as you will see from these facts.

We closed our year with 71 Auxiliaries, 1,232 members and the largest financial report ever contributed, a total of which is $2,805.92. At the Conference of 1918 we were given as our goal a 10 per cent increase in all our work. We rejoice to tell you that we are "over the top" with a 22 per cent increase in Auxiliaries; a 22 per cent increase in membership and a 63 per cent increase in finances. The Conference pledge was fixed for us at $1,000.00 and we are pleased to bring instead $1,500.00.

Since facts are the most convincing messages, let us hear from a few of the Auxiliaries: Richlands made a fine record; has third place on the Honor Roll, and contributed three times more money than in 1918. "Rebecca LeGrand" and "Lillie Duke" each contributed five times more money and won respectively first and second place on the Honor Roll. Kenly, Biscoe, Littleton, Eureka, Fairmont, Mt. Gilead, Aurora, Farmville and Warren's Chapel doubled and tripled their finances of 1918, and so have won for themselves much praise for having far surpassed any previous record.

Never before have so many Auxiliaries won the Honor Roll. This time the beautiful ribbon flyers are presented to Fayetteville, Oxford, Rose Hill, "Iillie Duke," Richlands, Prospect and Rebecca LeGrand. I urge that every Auxiliary try for this Standard of Excellence which the Council has given to us. Let us study this goal, for it gives courage and inspiration as we strive to reach its ideals.

We are not up to the standard on our Bible, Mission Study and Social Service work. Only one Bible Study and ten Mission Study Classes reported during the year. And yet we know that our best work can only be done as we gain information and inspiration which comes to us through these channels. However, interest in the Week of Prayer and the Scarritt Bible Training School is growing. Twenty-seven Auxiliaries observed the Week of Prayer and the contribution of $138.86 was quite an increase over that of 1918. Twenty-aix Auxiliaries met their financial obligations to Scarritt. We feel that the time has come when every Auxiliary and every individual member should be more closely in touch with this splendid institution and our workers there.

Early in the year a circular letter from Mrs. J. W. Perry, our Council Superintendent, was sent to each District Secretary, urging that a campaign be made in the interest of Young People's Work. Only one Secretary reported as having attempted the task, and as a result Miss Pulliam added six to the Durham District, making it the banner district for new Auxiliaries.

Again, we give credit to whom credit is due. Rockingham has the honor of being the largest district in the Conference and of having raised the largest amount of money, the total of which is $1,045.85, this being almost half of the total receipts of the year. There in this leading district we find the leading Auxiliary of the Conference (Rebecca LeGrand), which is given highest honors for

having met every requirement, for making highest average per capita, (8.79) on the Honor Roll and for the largest amount of money, ($272.62), ever reported by any Auxiliary. We congratulate this splendid group of workers for this wonderful record, and as a reward for their success, we now present to them the beautiful Brazilian Flag for 1920. We are proud of you, and we trust that the honors which you have won will be the means of leading you always to give of yourselves the very best that is in you for the Master's use.

Sanford and Louisburg having reached the age limit and having fought a good fight, were ready at the close of the year for their promotion, which came to them in the form of the Constitution and By-Laws of the adults, who no doubt received them with open arms into the ranks of the matured workers. We commend them to your love and care and pray that they may go on into still higher achievement in their new field of service.

Now just a word about our literature. We are greatly indebted to the Council for this splendid material, and nothing finer has ever been given us than the little "Hand Book." It tells us everything we want to know and is so full of information concerning Young People's Work that no Superintendent need fail who follows its guidance. The Year Book grows more and more attractive and the monthly programs are exceedingly interesting. I want to urge that we make an effort to have more of our members reading the *Missionary Voice.* We can say of this splendid magazine that it has many rivals, but few equals; therefore, it should be in every home, especially where there are young people.

As you read carefully the statistical report for 1919 you will find there many Auxiliaries which have not been mentioned elsewhere, which have gone far over the top on finances. In fact, only a few Auxiliaries failed to be at their best during the year.

And now as a fitting climax, I must tell you that the secret of this good report is due to the untiring efforts and consecrated leadership of the Superintendents of Young People's Work and to the fine co-operation of the District Secretaries, and it is to each of these workers that we are looking for still greater success in 1920. "The field is white unto harvest," therefore, "Whatsoever He sayeth unto you do it."

LILLE DUKE,
Conference Superintendent.

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF CHILDREN'S WORK.

(No. 5.)

With 137 Junior Divisions and 58 Baby Divisions, and with an increase of nearly sixteen hundred dollars over 1918, our Bright Jewels closed the year 1919 with the best report in their history. Our Conference is to be congratulated on the Superintendents of their children's work. With few exceptions I have never known a more faithful and consecrated band of women. Against many obstacles they have gone forward with faith and prayer, and God has given them a year of wonderful success, and He alone can know the far-reaching results of their work.

For several years our Bright Jewels have led the children of the whole Southern Methodist Church by raising the largest amount of money per year. This year, in spite of their really wonderful increase, they have had to step down to second place. North Georgia, with splendid report along all lines, has outstepped us in the race. If those few churches which let their Bright Jewel bands die during 1919 and those who fell behind on their pledge will just start over again and with God's help go to work, we may at least be able to work side by side with our little sisters of North Georgia.

Our Juniors raised last year: Membership dues, $1,346.38; Pledge, $3,001.96; Week of Prayer, $159.81. The Babies added: Enrollment fees, $63.94; Pledge, $250.18; Memorial Roll, $500.00, making a total of $4,826.37. (Detailed report is attached). Queen Street, Kinston, gets the banner for raising the largest amount of money, raising $300.00. Hay Street, Fayetteville, was less than $5.00 behind and won the banner for the largest amount per member. The following bands raised $100.00 or more: Memorial, Durham, $205.00; Gibson, $172.65; Louisburg, $133.00; Laurinburg, $123.78; Dunn, $115.52; Grace, Wilmington, $107.39; Centenary, New Bern, $105.23; and Sanford, $101.72. Some of our smaller bands have done excellent work and deserve honorable mention, but space prevents our mentioning them here. I refer you to the minutes for their record.

Memorial, Durham, Dunn, Gibson and Queen Street (Kinston), are on the Honor Roll. I am sure that with our many bands doing such excellent work, that others ought to be so enrolled, but only these furnished me the the information. During the present year I hope that a large per cent of our bands will make the definite effort to fulfill the conditions, and thus receive themselves the honor due them and also give to our Conference society the rank due it in the Council. Eighty points give a Band the right to be enrolled, and each of the following count ten points: 10 per cent increase in membership; average attendance at each meeting of one-half the membership; regular monthly offering by each member; pledge paid in full; each Mission Study Class; one subscriber to the *Young Christian Worker* for every three members; Week of Prayer observed; daily Bible study pledged by 50 per cent of membership; promotion exercise from Baby Division to Junior Division; and promotion exercise from Junior Division to Young People's Society. These are all important matters, and it will be a blessing to each Band to try to observe them. Last year only forty-four report observing the Week of Prayer and onlyt welve report study circles. Every member ought to get the *Young Christian Worker*, and surely each Band might get one-third to subscribe if proper effort was made. But worst of all, more than half of the Junior Divisions have no Baby Division to receive members from, while a much smaller per cent have Young People's Societies to promote them to. Dear Sisters, there is surely need and opportunity for faithful work along many lines.

My observation and the frequent reports of our Superintendents convince me that in very few churches the Superintendent of Children's Work has the whole-hearted support of the women of the Auxiliary. I plead for the co-operation of our Conference officers, our District Secretaries and of every woman in our Auxiliaries for our faithful Superintendents. The child of today is the man

of tomorrow. Now is the time that their habits are formed and their young minds and hearts filled with ideals. They must be taught to give and trained to work now. It is unfair to expect any one woman in your society to do all this work. She needs and should have the help of every member of the Woman's Auxiliary. When you return to your homes, may I not beg each of you to do your best to build up this most important part of our work? He who has exalted child life and put His hand in blessing on the heads of little children, calls upon us to keep them safe—to train them for His harvest field. May His blessing be on you and on them.

MRS. N. H. D. WILSON,
Superintendent of Children's Work.

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF MISSION STUDY AND PUBLICITY

(No. 6.)

The year's work has been most gratifying in increased interest, in Mission Study, and Bible Study. From many letters received, I am persuaded that Mission Study is taking a firmer hold upon the people than ever before. But we must still lengthen the ropes and tighten the stakes. One Mission Study Class in a church of average size is not sufficient to make an adequate missionary impression upon the church, or to supply enough well-equipped leaders for the missionary activities of the Church. One course of Mission Study by one group is not enough. It is true that Bible and other study classes must be given an opportunity, but the definite policy of more Mission Study Classes ought to be assumed as part of the follow-up plan of the class, including more study by the same group wherever that is possible.

And this leads me to the next part of my subject, and happily Mission Study and Bible Study are so correlated this year as to become almost one and the same thing.

BIBLE STUDY

"To know, to love, to have power—this is complete life. Life is a secret between the soul and God; life is reaching out after God—after the principles which shall animate the mind, fill the heart, control the will, shape the purpose, and rule the conduct of man." God has revealed himself in his Word, a book in which He has set forth the principles which lead to true happiness and to the realization of the highest and best self; and in the heart of man, a temple He has chosen for himself in which to dwell.

Bible study can never be what it should be unless the student approaches the sacred Book in a spirit of prayer for the illumination of his heart and mind by the spirit of truth. No one can estimate how much joy and gladness, how many redeemed and transfigured lives will result from reading and studying the Bible and finding the living God in the living Word.

Studying God's Word will put a new interest, a new enthusiasm into life. It will bring new life and vitality into every organization and will make the

coming years memorable. In His Word it is written: "The Holy Scriptures, which are able to make thee wise unto salvation through faith in Christ Jesus—that the man of God may be complete, furnished completely unto every good work." It is through the Word alone that the Spirit teaches, applying the principles to our special needs. It is the Spirit and the Spirit alone that can make the Word a "lamp unto our feet, a light unto our paths." Then let us read and study the Bible prayerfully, earnestly, and with meditation; for the spirit explains it word by word. The more we read the more we desire to do so.

I am glad to tell you that the year 1920 has been designated as Bible year. It is most appropriate, and we do not believe that it was by accident that the general theme for mission study was chosen in line with the thought of the leaders who asked that this year be observed with special reference to study and distribution of the Bible throughout the World.

Courses recommended for 1920–1921. The general theme is: "The Bible and Missions."

The following books are recommended for study: Adults—"The Bible and Missions," by Helen Montgomery; "The Church and the Community," by Ralph Diffendorfer.

Young People—"A better World," by Tyler Dennett; "Mr. Friend of Man," by Ralph A. Filton.

Juniors—"Lamplighters Across the Sea," by Margaret Applegarth; "Serving the Neighborhood," by J. T. Stockley.

Books on Stewardship—"Money the Acid Test," by David McConangly; "The New Christian," by Ralph Cushman.

The *Bulletin* has gone out regularly, with few exceptions caused by delay at publishing house. Enrollment cards have gone out quarterly. Many personal letters have been answered. Two printed circular letters have gone out.

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. T. A. PERSON,

Superintendent Mission Study and Publicity.

STATISTICAL REPORT OF MISSION STUDY AND PUBLICITY

SUMMARY	Study Classes	Members Enrolled	Y. P. Classes	Members Enrolled	Junior Classes	Members Enrolled	Reading Circles	Missionary Libraries	Bible Study Classes	Members Enrolled	Auxiliaries using Bulletin
Durham	8	127			1	88					9
Elizabeth City	1	6									2
Fayetteville	8	73	1	25	2	26	1		1	10	9
New Bern	7	181							1	35	3
Raleigh	20	250							3		16
Rockingham	3	29									4
Warrenton	10	77									11
Washington	11	187									11
Wilmington	8	78	1	7				1	1		8
Total	76	1008	2	32	3	114	1	1	6	45	73

MRS. T. A. PERSON,
Superintendent Mission Study and Publicity.

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SOCIAL SERVICE

(No. 7.)

The year 1919 has come to a close. The Social Service Department has not been what I had hoped with your help to make it, but I do feel that the subject is so great and thrilling, the vision so far-reaching, that our women will so catch the spirit of universal helpfulness that Social Service will be a term of deepest meaning and widest opportunity. Jesus went about doing good, helping the needy and adjusting the relations of men. Let us follow Him.

Social Service offers a very appealing work to our women. It gives wonderful opportunity for Christian service. We must remember that we are Christian Missionary women, and we must approach our work from this viewpoint.

You are doing much that is not reported. The required things are suggested on your report blanks. Work up your questionaire and have as good a program as possible. I have been ashamed of the poor reports I have had to send to our Council officer, but you would not report.

I sent out a letter trying to give suggestions such as were given me by the Council Superintendent. I tried to have this letter reach every Auxiliary. Have written many letters and answered every inquiry received.

Respectfully submitted,
MRS. E. C. DUNCAN,
Superintendent of Social Service.

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LITERATURE

(No. 8.)

Literature has been sent out regularly during the year. We have now 250 names on the list. Several of the District Secretaries have not sent corrected lists. We would appreciate a new list early in each year, even if there are no corrections.

Some have not learned yet that I only handle leaflets bearing on the monthly subject of study, so I occasionally get requests for other literature. If you will write to Mrs. B. W. Lipscomb, 810 Broadway, Nashville, Tenn., she will send you a *List of Publications*, in which you will find grouped according to subjects and departments everything that is printed, especially for our Auxiliaries. Some of it is free, but for others there is a small charge.

MRS. E. L. HART,
Superintendent of Literature.

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SUPPLIES

(No. 9.)

Weldon sent preacher	$ 35.00
Weldon sent preacher	5.00
Aberdeen sent preacher	69.00
Trinity, Durham, sent preacher	25.00
Grace Church, Wilmington, sent preacher	59.35
Rocky Mount sent preacher	17.50
Weldon sent preacher	30.00
Memorial, Durham, sent preacher	25.00
Trinity, Durham, sent preacher	25.00
Concord Church sent preacher	16.50
Roxboro sent preacher	16.50
Ruffin Bethel Church sent preacher	11.00
Burlington sent preacher	15.00
Roxboro Circuit sent preacher	8.50
Milton sent preacher	7.00
West Durham sent preacher	5.00
Yanceyville sent preacher	19.00
	$389.35

AMOUNT SENT INDIANS IN OKLAHOMA

Fifth Avenue, Wilmington	$ 50.00
Middlesex	50.00
Farmville	20.00
Hendersonville	30.00
Mary Pescud, Raleigh	25.00
	$175.00

All preachers' families who have asked help during the year have been helped as occasion demanded. Durham District, at the suggestion of Mrs. Gates, through the District Secretary, "adopted" a preacher on that District, whose health had failed, and ten Auxiliaries sent checks to him as a Christmas present, amounting in all to about $150.00. This was lovingly given, graciously received, and afforded great and lasting relief.

This has been a beautiful work—so much better than boxes of "old clothes"—and our Father alone knows the deep gratitude of that mother's heart to those who, when her children were hungry, fed them, and when in need of clothes supplied their urgent needs. May He bless and reward each one.

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. IDA T. WILKINS.

ASSISTANT EDITOR'S REPORT

(No. 10.)

The report of your editor for the Woman's Page in the *North Carolina Christian Advocate* differs only in one respect from that of last year,—in that we have the use of two columns instead of four.

The consolidation of the two *Advocates* into the one paper published at Greensboro, and the fact that all material for our columns came first to Raleigh, then to Asheville, then to Greensboro, in our judgment, prevented a better use of the page, to say nothing of unnecessary expense.

We think one page for the two Conferences sufficient, and that it could be made both inspiring and instructive, as well as stimulating, to the Auxiliaries of both Conferences; but we think this one page needs only one editor, to whom should be sent all copy direct.

Thanking the women of this Conference for their interest and support, I am,

Sincerely,

MRS. V. ROYSTER,

Assistant Editor.

COMMITTE REPORTS.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON EXTENSION OF WORK

(No. 1.)

We, the Committee on Extension of Work, recommend:

1.—That in order to conserve the Spiritual results of the Centenary, one-quarter of the year be devoted to the cultivation of our membership for Family Alters, and inasmuch as the Week of Prayer falls within the fourth quarter, we suggest that period appropriate for the undertaking.

2.—That the cultivation of the Auxiliaries for Stewardship take the form of a reading contest to be conducted under the leadership of the Corresponding Secretaries in the Auxiliaries during the month of October. Material for the contest to be selected by the Home Base Secretary.

3.—That the Districts enter into a lively contest for the largest gain in all departments of the work, and that a banner be presented to the winning District at the next annual meeting.

4.—That Adult Auxiliaries attaining the Roll of Honor be given recognition at the annual meetings by the presentation of a token to be agreed upon by the Home Base and Conference Secretaries. The Conference having the largest number of Auxiliaries reaching the standard to receive recognition at the Council Meeting.

5.—That as many groups or all-day meetings as possible be held in each District.

6.—That we urge every Auxiliary,—Adult, Young People and Junior,—to send representatives to these meetings or to their District meeting.

7.—That we set as our goal for 1920 one student at least from each District for Scarritt Bible and Training School, a ten per cent increase in organization and membership, a twenty per cent increase in finances.

MRS. HARVEY BONEY, Chairman,
MISS AMMA GRAHAM, Secretary.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON FINANCE

(No. 2.)

We, your Committee on Finance, recommend:

1.—That the Conference Expense Fund of fifty cents per member for Adults, twenty-five cents per member for Young People and ten cents per member for Relief and Retirement Fund be collected the first quarter.

2.—That the Auxiliary President urge the quarterly payment of all dues and funds. Failure to do this forces the Council to borrow money, on which interest must be paid.

3.—That December 1st, or as near as practicable, be observed as "Harvest Day" by each Auxiliary.

4.—That each District Secretary, Superintendent of Young People, and Superintendent of Children's Work shall send all money and reports to Conference Treasurer by the 10th of the month each quarter.

5.—That each Auxiliary pay a minimum of $4.00 annually for support of our Scarritt Bible and Training School.

6.—That gifts for our Scarritt Scholarship be increased, since we have new girls going for training.

7.—That our Conference Financial Goal of $45,000.00 be raised by a 20 per cent increase on the part of each Auxiliary.

MRS. F. B. MCKINNE, Chairman,
MRS. W. W. PEELE, Secretary.

COMMITTEE ON YOUNG PEOPLE'S WORK

(No. 3.)

We recommend:

1.—That in each District a Campaign Committee be appointed, with the District Secretary as Chairman, whose duty it shall be to present the Young People's Work in every congregation in the District and to organize Young People's Auxiliaries wherever possible.

2.—That we combine a Young People's Campaign for organization and members with the October Mission Study Campaign.

3.—That the Young People take as their specials for 1921 the Vashti Industrial School, Thomasville, Ga., in the home field, and the Laura Haygood Normal School, Soo-chow, China, in the foreign field.

4.—That special attention be given to the standing rule that "Good Friday shall be set aside as day of special prayer for volunteers for both the home and foreign fields." and that for the year 1920 the presentation of Scarritt be made a feature of the day.

MISS LILLIE DUKE, Chairman,
MISS BERTA WEST, Secretary.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CHILDREN'S WORK

(No. 4.)

The Committtee on Children's Work recommends that the Conference urge:

1.—That a Junior Division and a Baby Division be organized in every church in our Conference.

2.—That every Auxiliary which does not report a Children's Department is woefully deficient, since the training of the children is woman's first duty.

3.—That each Auxiliary should select the best woman possible for Superintendent, and give her their whole-hearted support.

4.—That every Bright Jewel Band consist of both Junior and Baby Division

5.—That as training the children is the chief purpose of the Children's work, a Study Class be formed in every Division.

6.—That a concerted effort on the part of the Auxiliaries and Superintendents be made to place the *Young Christian Worker* in every Methodist home.

7.—That as we would have our children trained for work at home as well as abroad, a more faithful effort be made to instruct and train them for Social Service.

8.—That each Superintendent be urged to use the *Standard Record and Report Book.*

MRS. N. H. D. WILSON, Chairman,
MRS. JAMES R. BUTLER,
MRS. JAMES C. GILKEY,
MRS. A. L. NEWBERRY,
MISS EMMA GILL.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON MISSION STUDY AND PUBLICITY

(No. 5.)

Realizing the vital importance of Christian literature in the home in moulding character, creating sentiment and directing thought, we, your Committee on Study and Publicity, make the following recommendations:

1.—That every Auxiliary put on a campaign for subscriptions to the *Voice* and *Young Christian Worker* the first week in June or September, as local conditions shall determine, and results of this campaign be published in the *Advocate.*

2.—That the Superintendent of Publicity secure space in the *News and Observer* for reports of Conference proceedings.

3.—That the District Secretaries see that greater publicity is given their meetings in the secular press.

4.—That every Auxiliary be constituted a prayer circle and take some prayer special, praying definitely for this person and for volunteers.

5.—That study classes donate books, when they are through with them, to some other Auxiliary, Presiding Elder, or District Secretary, to be used as they see fit.

6.—That once a quarter *Advocate* page carry name and address where certain official supplies may be secured, what price, and if free, what quantity is free to the Auxiliary.

Respectfully submitted,
MRS. T. A. PERSON, Chairman,
MRS. LEGRANDE EVERETT, Secretary.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON SOCIAL SERVICE

(No. 6.)

Whereas, we realize, as never before, that organized women workers are needed,

Therefore, be it resolved:

1.—That we continue to inform ourselves of the world's needs and support in every way possible all efforts to secure the economic condition necessary to the realization of the fullest physical, mental and spiritual life.

2.—That each auxiliary co-operate with other local organizations for the public welfare, to secure play grounds, libraries, Travelers' Aids, and to raise the standard of morality in each community.

3.—That we endeavor to influence our legislators to pass a bill prohibiting the sale of extracts save by a licensed druggist.

4.—That each Auxiliary send a telegram to Representative in Legislature, asking endorsement of censorship of motion pictures.

Respectfully submitted,
MRS. E. N. RICKS, Chairman,
MRS. H. J. FAISON, Secretary.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON MEMOIRS

(No. 7.)

We, your Committee on Memoirs, recommend:

1.—That this service be held as early as practicable after the Conference convenes.

2.—That the District Secretaries instruct Auxiliaries to send in names of deceased members in order that same may be sent to Chairman of Committee on Memoirs.

MRS. S. H. SCOTT, Chairman,
MRS. T. J. GILL,
MRS. MAC SMITH, Secretary.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON BY-LAWS AND STANDING RULES

(No. 8.)

We suggest the following By-Laws:

1.—That our Conference body shall be composed of one delegate from each Adult Auxiliary, one from each Young People's, and Superintendents of Children's Work. These, or their officially elected alternates, shall constitute the voting body of the Conference.

2.—The Annual Conference session shall include three days for the transaction of business.

3.—That in order to have more time for the discussion of methods of work, that officers be elected to serve two years.

4.—That the Council By-Laws that conflict with Conference plans be stricken from the minutes.

5.—That all Corresponding Secretaries of Young People's and Children's Work report to District Secretaries, so that the District Secretaries may take more interest in these departments.

6.—That the Committee on By-Laws shall be composed of the President, the Corresponding Secretary, the Recording Secretary, and one member from the body. The business of this committee shall be to put the Conference methods of work in the form of by-laws to be adopted by the body annually.

MISS ELIZABETH LAMB,
Chairman.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON RESOLUTIONS

(No. 9.)

Despite the unusually large attendance upon this session of our Conference, which might tax the hospitality of any of our larger churches, we have wanted nothing. Oxford has provided abundantly everything for our comfort and pleasure.

Therefore, be it resolved:

That to the pastor and people we owe and freely give our sincere thanks, praying that God may reward them according to His promise.

That we appreciate most gratefully the hospitable manner in which the Oxford people have welcomed us to their beautiful city and splendid homes.

That we are deeply indebted to the choir and soloists, Mrs. F. S. Love and Mr. J. Dale Stentz, for giving us such sweet and inspiring music.

That we extend our thanks to the pages for their efficient service.

That as a body we are most grateful to Mrs. Clarence Johnson, Miss Mabel K. Howell and Mrs. Mary L. Hargrove for their splendid addresses. We, also feel indebted to Rev. M. T. Plyler and our returned missionaries, Rev. and Mrs. J. R. Moose and Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Frank, for their great inspiration and help.

That we especially extend our thanks to the luncheon committee for serving such delicious luncheons.

That our thanks are also due the press for reporting our sessions.

That we appreciate the great interest in our work that has been manifested by the presence of so many of our ministers.

That we wish to express our enjoyment of the beautiful ride and visit to the Orphanage.

That we again extend to the whole town of Oxford our deepest gratitude for their almost unparalleled hospitality and kindness.

MRS. F. A. WOODARD, Chairman,
MRS. T. S. WHITE,
MRS. R. A. KNIGHT,
MISS EVA COVINGTON.

STATISTICAL REPORT OF YOUNG PEOPLE, 1919.

DISTRICTS.	Dues.	Pledge.	Conference Fund.	Retirement and Relief.	S. B. T. S.	Week of Prayer.	Total Auxiliaries.	Total District.
DURHAM DISTRICT:								
Memorial	$ 31 15	$ 92 75	$ 10 00	$ 5 15	$ 2 45	$ 10 00	$151 50	
Prospect	18 30	39 50	7 25	4 90	2 00	4 00	75 95	
Yanceyville	9 47	15 53	2 00	2 32	2 00	2 55	33 87	
Roxboro	9 35	25 00	1 50	1 50	2 00	4 00	43 35	
Purley (first report)	2 00				2 00	8 13	12 13	
Pelham								
Helena (new)								
Hurdle Mill (new)								
Shady Grove (new)								
Swepsonville (new)								$ 316 80
ELIZABETH CITY DISTRICT:								
Anderson	14 75	15 50	3 50	2 35		2 20	38 30	
Corapeake	16 05						16 05	
Hertford	11 30	18 20	4 25	1 00	1 70	7 50	43 95	
Kittrells	7 00	6 27	2 00	75			16 02	
Elizabeth City	2 95	7 15					10 10	$ 124 42
FAYETTEVILLE DISTRICT:								
Fayetteville	21 65	25 00	4 75	1 90	3 00	2 69	58 99	
Carthage	2 35	5 00					7 35	
Sanford	29 70	90 00	4 60	1 85		3 55	129 70	
Jonesboro	1 75						1 75	
Dunn (new)								$ 197 79
NEW BERN DISTRICT:								
Trenton	25 14	31 55	2 25	1 00	2 00		61 94	
Smith's Chapel	8 10						8 10	
St. Pauls	2 00	8 00					10 00	
Mt. Olive (first report)	2 70	15 00	50	20			18 40	
Morehead City (new)								
LaGrange (new)								
Beaufort (new)								$ 98 44
RALEIGH DISTRICT:								
Wesleyan Daughters	21 80	27 45					49 25	
Louisburg No. 1	32 90	53 60	7 00	1 40	2 00	2 50	99 40	
Edenton Street	3 00	14 65				7 35	25 00	
Oxford	8 95	20 00		1 85	40	5 36	36 56	
Kenly	12 10	15 00	7 00	1 40	2 00		37 50	
Plank Chapel	10 75	18 00	4 25	2 30	4 00		39 30	
Cary	8 15	21 25	3 75	2 60	2 00	1 00	38 75	
Benson	7 95	1 05				1 63	10 63	
Smithfield (new)								
Middlesex (disbanded.)	1 35						1 35	
Fuquay Springs	1 25					1 25	2 50	$ 340 24
ROCKINGHAM DISTRICT:								
Biscoe	11 20	30 27	3 50	1 40	2 00		48 37	
Aberdeen	28 95	25 00	2 50	1 00		15 00	72 45	
Gibson	40 20	39 20	7 50	2 30	2 80	15 66	107 66	
Fairmont	27 10	49 20	5 00	2 00	2 00	12 75	98 05	
Rebecca LeGrande	51 54	203 21	8 00	3 35		6 50	272 60	
St. Johns	76 55	64 70	5 60	16 45	25		163 55	
"Lillie Duke"	30 80	101 30	3 20	1 45	2 00	3 17	141 92	
Mt. Gilead	34 35	29 13		1 12			64 60	
Carolina College		15 00					15 00	
Elizabethtown	11 45	75					12 20	
Raeford	13 65	15 00	3 00	1 20	2 00	1 90	36 75	
Hamlet (first report)	8 20		1 25	50	1 75	1 00	12 70	$1045 85

STATISTICAL REPORT OF YOUNG PEOPLE, 1919—Continued.

DISTRICTS.	Dues.	Pledge.	Conference Fund.	Retirement and Relief.	S. B. T. S.	Week of Prayer.	Total Auxiliaries.	Total District.
WARRENTON DISTRICT:								
Arcola	$ 11 85	$ 20 00	$ 6 32	$ 1 10	$ 2 00		$ 41 27	
Jackson	55	29 90	25	60			30 30	
Garysburg	18 15	28 70					46 85	
Littleton	7 25	4 50		15			11 90	
Weldon No. 1	2 75	31 75					34 50	
Weldon No. 2	5 85	30 50					36 35	$ 202 17
WASHINGTON DISTRICT:								
Eureka	16 01	20 07	6 00	2 40	2 00		46 48	
Fremont	6 15	11 00				1 62	18 77	
Washington	6 85	32 20	2 80	70			42 55	
Aurora	13 60	6 00		1 80		1 55	22 95	
Blounts Creek (Warrens Chapel)	14 26	16 25					30 51	
Farmville	13 20	30 00	5 50	2 40	2 00	10 00	63 10	
Ayden	1 20	60		1 00			2 80	
Wilson	22 30	22 00			1 25		45 55	
Nashville	1 80						1 80	
Campbell's Creek (first report)	6 90						6 90	$ 281 41
WILMINGTON DISTRICT:								
Wallace	3 20	2 00					5 20	
Fifth Avenue	12 20	41 50	2 75	1 20			57 65	
Richlands	41 10	40 00	7 00	3 80	4 00	5 00	100 90	
Rose Hill	8 40	10 00	1 75	70	2 00	1 00	23 85	
Rocky Point (first report)	11 20						11 20	$ 198 80

BRIGHT JEWEL STATISTICAL REPORT, 1919.

DISTRICTS.	Baby Division.			Junior Division.				Total.	"Y. C. W."
	On Roll.	Enrollment Fees.	Pledge.	Members.	Dues.	Pledge.	Week of Prayer.		
DURHAM DISTRICT:									
Bethel	1	$ 12		18	$ 4 87	$ 11 63	$ 27	$ 16 89	7
Burlington				20	5 80	15 00		20 80	
Chapel Hill				10	1 25	5 25		6 50	
Durham (Memorial)	15	1 25	$ 12 53	88	52 80	123 42	15 00	205 00	30
" (Trinity)				48	11 00	2 31		13 31	4
Eno				10	4 50	13 00		17 50	16
Graham	6	1 75		36	6 64	38 18	1 62	48 19	16
Leasburg				22	12 05	6 00		18 05	6
Locust Hill				13	1 50			1 50	
Milton*	6	75	11 75					17 50	
Prospect				17	6 50	8 40	2 00	16 90	5
Roxboro	15	75	11 62	56	25 60	32 03	5 00	75 00	3
Yanceyville				17	9 90	3 00	1 25	14 15	3
ELIZABETH CITY DISTRICT:									
Anderson				58	11 70	14 00	1 00	26 70	13
Belhaven				29	3 65	88		4 53	15
Elizabeth City (City Road)	2	50	2 50	18	9 70	17 80	2 50	33 00	10
" (First Church)	8			58	7 45			7 45	
Gatesville				25	11 31	8 00		19 31	1
Hertford	24	1 25	11 07	32	11 35	5 22	2 10	30 99	10
Manteo				51	18 71	18 93		37 64	18
Mt. Zion				43	5 54	4 10		9 64	
New Hope				47	10 76			10 76	3
Pantego	1			14	7 25	23 57		30 82	4
Parkers				25	1 50	5 00		6 50	
Wanchese				75	31 54	30 82	1 00	63 36	14
Zion	8		2 80	17	3 59	10 14		16 53	6
FAYETTEVILLE DISTRICT:									
Camp Ground	6	25	1 10	24	2 90	25 10		29 35	4
Carthage	15	2 75		39	11 45	22 78		36 98	10
Dunn	40	1 00	20 50	58	25 40	66 62	2 00	115 52	23
" (Sallie Lou)				33	10 05	50 91		60 96	
Fayetteville (Calvary)	2	50		33	1 65	4 50		6 65	
" (Hay Street)	28	1 75	9 93	54	19 00	259 00	6 25	295 93	
" (Person Street)	34			34	3 10	9 00		12 10	4
Jonesboro				32	1 15	15 00		16 15	
Pittsboro				16	7 50			7 50	
Roseboro				15	1 20			1 20	
Sanford				22	13 20	85 83	3 19	101 72	2
Siler City				23	5 15	24 29	5 28	34 72	17
NEWBERN DISTRICT:									
Calypso	6	75	91	43	3 50	2 94		8 10	1
Goldsboro (St. Paul)	18	25	27 73	20	9 71	33 55	3 23	74 47	11
Hookerton	15	75	3 69	34	12 49	7 50		24 43	33
Kinston (Queen Street)	35	3 75	24 94	53	20 85	250 46		300 00	22
LaGrange				20	3 92			3 92	
Mt. Olive	8	2 00	2 71	16	2 89	91		8 51	7
Morehead City	16			43	7 80			7 80	12
Newbern (Centenary)	5	1 25	7 25	54	15 60	81 13		105 23	18
Ocracoke				14	5 55			5 55	
Pollocksville				14	9 27			9 27	5
Trenton	5		75	42	10 50	16 20		27 45	25
RALEIGH DISTRICT:									
Banks				10	5 60			5 60	
Benson				28	2 25	4 03	1 60	7 88	
Cary				23	8 28	10 45		18 73	
Clayton	12	25		15	3 35			3 60	6
Four Oaks				22	11 25	5 00		16 25	4
Fuquay Springs	8	76		18	3 09	5 37		9 22	5

*Included in Milton's total is $5.00 Baby Memorial Roll.

BRIGHT JEWEL STATISTICAL REPORT, 1919—Continued.

DISTRICTS.	Baby Division.			Junior Division.				Total.	"Y. C. W."
	On Roll.	Enrollment Fees.	Pledge.	Members.	Dues.	Pledge.	Week of Prayer.		
RALEIGH DISTRICT—Continued:									
Kenly	11	$ 50	$ 1 00	25	$ 7 62			$ 9 12	6
Kittrell				12	1 75			1 75	
Louisburg	8			33	14 80	$111 20	$ 7 00	133 00	6
Middlesex				29	1 26	3 25		4 51	
Oxford	13			31	12 98	55 32		68 30	6
Plank Chapel				25	5 60	17 50		23 10	
Raleigh (Central)				43	20 76	37 85	1 39	60 00	22
" (Edenton Street)				62	14 32	40 75	24 51	79 58	15
Salem				19	6 62	5 08		11 70	
Selma	20	70	2 38	15	70	8 35		12 13	3
Smithfield	29	1 00	6 69	52	20 55	38 31	5 00	71 55	16
Stem				10	5 25			5 25	
Zebulon				15	9 40	23 35		32 75	
ROCKINGHAM DISTRICT:									
Asbury				9	2 47	4 28		6 75	
Biscoe				29	15 00	18 84		33 84	4
Elizabethtown	6	1 15	50	6	4 25	3 74		9 64	2
Fairmont	6	1 25	1 59	54	13 81	34 90	12 50	64 05	5
Gibson	22	1 75	2 00	47	23 34	145 56		172 65	55
Hamlet				46	31 16	39 48	2 26	72 60	
Laurinburg	6			57	31 00	92 78		123 78	4
Lumberton	11	3 00	18 21	27	14 03	27 00		62 24	
Maxton	15	1 50	1 95	45	11 85	30 61	2 20	48 11	6
Mt. Gilead				55	21 10	25 00	2 54	48 64	17
Raeford				28	9 99	32 00	1 37	43 36	
Red Springs				38	8 31	45 74	4 00	58 05	13
Rockingham				50	24 80	20 75	3 00	48 55	7
Rowland	10	75		30	6 20	26 45		33 40	1
St. Paul				25	6 89	8 44		15 38	2
Wadeville				6	1 66			1 66	3
WARRENTON DISTRICT:									
Ahoskie				10	2 22			2 22	
Bethel				16	6 75	13 00		19 75	3
Bethlehem	9	2 25		24	8 85	1 10		12 20	
Conway				20	8 70	6 50		15 20	
Garysburg	8	1 50	3 51	14	8 60	15 49	2 50	31 60	12
Henderson				35	2 95			2 95	
Jackson				20	12 65	30 55		43 20	
Littleton	11	25	5 78	21	10 26	13 45	9 00	38 74	6
Macon				10	12 20			12 20	
Manson				10	3 00			3 00	
Mt. Gould	2		75	5	3 10			3 85	
Murfreesboro	9			22	5 11	23 46		28 57	
Norlina				41	10 30	11 31		21 61	10
Providence				17	9 06	10 17	1 74	20 97	2
Roanoke Rapids				26	3 00			3 00	
Seaboard				19	4 40			4 40	5
Warrenton				38	10 40	12 05	5 00	27 45	
Weldon	15	50	12 25	46	27 00	29 50	7 75	77 00	12
White Oak	1	25	10	21	25 17			25 52	2
Williamston	6	25	97	25	3 06	8 27		12 57	14
Windsor	16	50	13 00	27	12 00	15 00	1 00	41 50	4
Winton	12	1 25	5 05	23	10 61	9 54		26 45	3
Woodard				24	13 45			13 45	
Zion				27	4 00	48 00		52 00	
WASHINGTON DISTRICT:									
Aurora				31	4 50	11 70		16 20	
Ayden				27	8 98			8 98	
Bethel				19	2 80	92		3 72	
Blount's Creek				10	2 16	6 00		8 16	

BRIGHT JEWEL STATISTICAL REPORT, 1919—Continued.

DISTRICTS.	Baby Division.			Junior Division.				Total.	"Y. C. W."
	On Roll.	Enrollment Fees.	Pledge.	Members.	Dues.	Pledge.	Week of Prayer.		
WASHINGTON DISTRICT—Con.									
Campbell's Creek				34	$ 9 20			$ 9 20	
Farmville				36	5 30	$ 14 20		19 50	
Fremont	16	$ 3 00	$ 4 44	41	14 48	28 91	$ 2 15	52 98	17
Greenville (Jarvis Memorial)	23	5 70		58	21 50	37 40		64 60	6
Mauls Point				10	3 16			3 16	
Nashville	21	3 56	3 27	52	17 97	22 31		47 11	10
Pinetops				12	2 85	4 98		7 83	
Robersonville				18	63	1 82		2 45	
Rocky Mount (First Church)	22	1 00	4 50	35	18 50	12 00		36 00	2
Spring Hope	6			19	3 12	12 50	2 00	17 62	3
Swan Quarter				28	11 18	39 11		50 29	1
Washington				36	9 35	27 15	4 21	40 71	12
Wilson				60					
WILMINGTON DISTRICT:									
Chadbourn	17	5 75	5 75	22	7 20	6 30		25 00	13
Jacksonville				25	13 70	6 40		20 10	13
Johnsons Chapel				10	5 60			5 60	
Kenansville				26	4 50	5 21		9 71	
Maysville	12	25	1 76	34	15 14	50 29	25	67 69	37
Rocky Point				28	9 85	1 39		11 24	
Rose Hill	2			45	20 65	15 45		36 10	6
Wallace				23	3 32	2 75		6 07	
Wesley Memorial				18	7 61			7 61	
Whiteville	15	1 50		39	14 76	15 00	5 15	36 41	5
Wilmington (Fifth Avenue)	6	25	1 10					1 35	
" (Grace)	19	2 20	1 85	67	29 60	73 74		107 39	10
" (Trinity)				45	22 26	55 48		77 75	7

SUMMARY.

DISTRICTS.	Baby Division.				Junior Division.					Total.	"Y. C. W."
	Number.	Members.	Fees.	Pledge.	Number.	Members.	Dues.	Pledge.	Week of Prayer.		
Durham	5	49	$ 4 62	$ 35 90	13	362	$ 145 67	$ 262 40	$ 25 14	$ 478 73	$ 90
Elizabeth City	5	44	1 75	16 37	13	493	134 05	138 46	6 60	297 23	94
Fayetteville	5	94	6 25	31 53	12	385	10175	562 53	16 72	718 78	81
New Bern	8	114	8 75	67 98	11	352	102 08	392 71	3 23	574 75	134
Raleigh	7	105	3 21	10 07	19	487	155 43	365 81	39 50	574 02	89
Rockingham	7	76	9 40	24 25	16	576	225 86	555 57	27 87	842 35	120
Warrenton	10	100	6 75	41 41	24	536	191 67	272 56	26 99	539 38	70
Washington	5	127	13 26	12 21	17	507	135 68	219 00	8 36	388 51	51
Wilmington	6	85	9 95	10 46	12	382	154 19	232 02	5 40	412 02	92
Total	58	794	63 94	250 18	137	4080	1346 38	3001 06	159 81	4826 37	830

In addition to the above figures Local Work was reported as follows:

Graham	$ 6.50	Kinston	$ 2.00
Eno	1.00	Smithfield	3.00
Anderson	10.87	Gibson	1.00
Gatesville	1.00	Fremont	10.00
Zion	40.00	Whiteville	36.80
Siler City	2.00	Grace (Wilmington)	35.00

REPORT OF DURHAM DISTRICT FOR YEAR 1919—MISS MATTIE PULLIAM, SECRETARY.

DURHAM DISTRICT	Number of Members.	New Members	Subscribers to Voice.	Mission Study.	Dues.	Pledge.	Conference Extension Fund.	Retirement Fund.	Scarritt Endowment Fund.	Scarritt Scholarships	Scholarships	Specials.	Week of Prayer.	Total.	Local.
Allensvile	6														
Bethel	12		8	12	$ 36 50	$ 9 50				$ 2 00				$ 48 00	$ 11 00
Granson	20		8		22 25	59 00	$ 7 00	$ 1 40	3 00	2 00				94 65	
Brooksdale	10	2			24 90	15 75			4 00				$ 5 00	49 65	100 00
Burlington	48	2	17		113 13	151 71	24 04	4 24	4 00	3 00		$ 50 00		350 12	161 65
Carrboro	15		1		11 90	19 45								31 35	
Chapel Hill	15		2		38 40	28 30	8 00	1 60	4 00	2 00			3 15	85 45	12 00
Concord	22	4	4		47 60	25 50	10 00	2 00		2 00				87 10	16 50
Hebron	6														
Leasburg	10		7	10	27 05	30 00	5 20	1 00	4 45	2 00			6 00	75 70	8 00
Locust Hill	15		5		25 50	30 10				2 00				57 60	
Memorial	87	11	23		174 50	350 00	34 00	7 20		3 00		50 00	49 10	667 80	395 21
Milton	7		4		9 35	26 00	87	18		2 00			5 50	43 90	7 00
New Hope	12		6		7 20									7 20	
Prospect	16	1	7	16	19 30	50 00	8 00	2 20	2 00	2 00			8 00	91 50	10 00
Purley	6														
Roxboro	81	12	12	8	170 35	200 00	15 70	12 00	1 00	3 00		50 00		452 05	883 00
Salem	6		6		9 00									9 00	
Shady Grove	11	1			30 00	11 50							3 90	45 40	
Trinity No. 1	79	18	16	20	148 63	311 36	29 40	5 92	4 00		205 00	50 00	22 11	776 42	279 34
Trinity No. 2	34		17		70 00	100 00	14 45	2 95	4 00	3 00		100 00	22 01	316 41	91 39
Union	7	1	3		11 90					25				12 15	
West Burlington	21	6	3		46 05	40 30								86 35	77 20
Webb Avenue	36	12	6		65 30					2 00			13 00	80 30	42 50
West Durham	39	6	6		36 65	56 50			2 00				15 00	110 15	
Yanceyville	11		5	7	21 40	20 00	1 27	58	4 00	2 00			13 25	62 50	13 50
Miss Lillie Duke's Class											50 00			50 00	
Calvary (new)	19	19	7	14	48 00		9 94	2 06					5 00	65 00	
Graham (new)	33	33		15	37 35	15 75	7 52	1 88		6 25			3 75	72 50	305 29
Trinity College Y. W. C. A.										25 00				25 00	
Total	684	128	173	102	1252 21	1550 72	175 39	45 21	36 45	63 50	255 00	300 00	174 77	3853 25	2413 58
10 Y. P. Auxiliaries (6 new)	178	78	15		70 27	172 78	20 75	13 87	10 45				28 68	316 80	20 00
5 Baby Divisions (1 new)	45	10			9 62	35 90								45 52	
13 Juniors (5 new)	362	136	90		145 67	262 40							25 14	433 21	
Total	1269	352	278	102	1477 77	2021 80	196 14	59 08	46 90	63 50	255 00	300 00	228 59	4648 78	
Local Work														2433 58	
Grand Total														7082 36	

REPORT FOR ELIZABETH CITY DISTRICT, 1919—MRS. GEORGE HAWKINS, SECRETARY.

ELIZABETH CITY DISTRICT.	Dues.	Pledge.	Retirement and Relief Fund.	Conference Expense.	Scarritt.	McCall.	Week of Prayer.	Local.	Total.
Andersons	$ 32 40	$ 55 00	$ 3 60	$ 2 15	$ 4 00	200	$ 6 69		$ 109 94
Belhaven	17 20	30 50		3 25					56 50
City Road	43 60	27 33	1 83	6 14		3 00	5 63		88 13
Edenton	49 85	20 25							77 95
Elizabeth City (First Church)	620 75	383 50	7 79	36 80		14 00	35 70		670 45
Gatesville	42 00	116 45	2 50	6 75	3 25			Special	203 30
Hertford	57 60	180 55	5 65	10 00	35	6 80	17 60	$ 4 50	281 80
Hebron	11 00			2 35			4 25		17 60
Kittrells	27 80	19 00	2 00	5 25	2 00		17 60		73 65
Minnie Wilson	87 80	132 25	3 10	19 45	70	5 00	17 50		265 80
Manteo	45 20	41 00	2 10	10 50		3 00	7 00		108 80
New Hope	24 25	5 50							29 75
Philadelphia	58 35	33 00	3 60	12 00	2 40	40	9 05		103 00
Pantego	18 50	18 20					3 75		40 45
Parkers	51 50	28 95	2 10	3 37	25	2 05			88 22
Savages	7 90								7 90
Wanchese	60 50	36 00	1 80	10 00	4 00	4 75	6 90		119 15
Winfall	19 85	5 60							25 45
Zion	29 90	22 00	60	3 00					55 50
Total sent Treasurre for 1919									2597 14
For Local Work									752 35
Grand Total									3349 49

REPORT OF FAYETTEVILLE DISTRICT, 1919.—MRS. EMMA HUNTERR, SECRETARY.

FAYETTEVILLE DISTRICT.	Members.	Week of Prayer.	Total Dues.	Total Pledge.	Total sent Conference Treasureur.	Local Work.
Alice Green (new)	38	$ -----				$ -----
Belle Bennett	23	11 05				$ 127 00
Camp Ground	22	11 00				
Carthage	37	47 00				25 00
Dunn	49	10 05				894 87
Hyatt	72	40 00				743 95
Jonesboro	35	15 77				57 52
Lillington	9					
Pittsboro	21					195 25
Roseboro	22					30 00
Sanford	29	10 00				
Siler City	22	18 00				
St. Andrews	17					
Total	396	162 87	606 91	914 40	2007 16	2073 59
Carthage (Bible Women)				120 00		
Sanford (for Bible Women)				65 74		
Grand Total				185 74		
Scarritt Scholarship				53 67		
Dunn (Life Membership)				25 00		

REPORT OF NEW BERN DISTRICT, 1919.—MRS. FRED MINTZ, SECRETARY.

NEW BERN DISTRICT.	Number of Members.	Number of "Voice" Subscribers.	Number of "Y. C. W." Subscribers.	Dues.	Pledge.	Conference Expense Fund.	Retirement and Relief Fund.	Week of Prayer.	Bible Women.	Scarritt Scholarship Fund.	Scarritt Endowment.	Average per Member.	Amount sent Conference Treasurer.	Local Work.	Total for 1919.
Kinston	81	33		$ 246 75	$ 261 65	$ 27 79			$240 00	$ 4 00	$ 4 00	$ 9 60	$ 784 19	$ 503 95	$ 1288 14
St. Pauls	178	30		271 50	407 54	31 75	$ 3 65	$ 16 78		5 00	4 10	4 13	740 32	667 79	1408 11
Trenton	26	5		68 25	107 00	2 05	2 65	10 18		3 00	3 50	7 56	196 63	45 00	241 63
Pollocksville	22	1		22 50	63 10	3 25	3 50			2 00	2 00	4 37	96 35	247 61	343 96
Beaufort	34	6		58 80	21 05	75					6 00	2 54	86 60		86 60
Oriental	20			23 54	22 60			8 00		2 00	4 00	3 00	60 14		60 14
St. John's	28	6		27 53	76 80	5 11	2 36	14 00		2 00	20	4 57	128 00		128 00
Shady Grove	25	12		58 20	25 25						1 00	3 37	84 45		84 45
Morehead City	44	17		90 80	129 55	19 20	3 80	29 92		4 00	4 00	6 36	281 27	93 25	374 52
Ocracoke	7			10 90	7 00							2 56	17 90		17 90
Centenary	97	18		207 20	385 81	33 25	6 45	83 00		5 00	4 00	7 47	724 71	771 85	1496 56
Snow Hill	19	8		22 00	35 00	4 25	90	9 40				3 76	71 55	62 00	133 55
Mt. Olive	30	8		68 50	80 00	15 00		5 00		2 00	4 00	5 81	174 50	300 00	474 50
Hookerton	23	9		21 25	59 37	4 00	1 60	14 35		2 00	4 00	4 63	106 57	35 00	141 57
Calypso	17	6		42 20	12 15	10 75				2 00	4 00	4 12	71 10	48 75	119 85
Smith's Chapel	18	8		26 15	6 50	6 10				2 00	4 00	2 48	44 75	26 00	70 75
LaGrange	27			21 10	30 00					2 00		1 96	53 10	78 70	131 80
Totals	696	167	134	1287 17	1730 37	163 25	24 91	190 63	240 00	37 00	48 80	5 34	3722 13	2879 90	6602 03
8 Baby Divisions	114			8 75	67 98								76 73		76 73
11 Junior Divisions	388			102 08	392 71			3 23					498 02		498 02
7 Young People's Auxiliaries	102			37 94	54 55	2 75	1 20				2 00		98 44		98 44
Grand Totals	1300			1435 94	2245 61	166 00	26 11	193 86	240 00	37 00	50 80		4395 32	2879 90	7275 22

REPORT OF RALEIGH DISTRICT, 1919.—MISS VERA HERRING, SECRETARY.

RALEIGH DISTRICT.	Members.	New Members.	Subscribers to Missionary" Voice."	Honor Roll.	Dues.	Pledge.	Directed Pledge.	Retirement and Relief Fund.	Scarritt Endowment.	Conference Expense Fund.	Scarritt Scholarship.	Week of Prayer.	Total	Local Work.	Grand Total.
Apex	14	2	3		$ 21 10	$ 32 05			$ 4 00	$ 4 80			$ 61 55		$ 61 55
Banks	23		8		38 45	47 55	$ 40 00		2 00		$ 2 00		130 00		130 00
Benson	12		2		17 28			$ 75	50	3 61		$ 2 86	25 00		25 00
Cary	15	2	10	1	33 00	40 00		1 30	4 00	6 95	45	20 00	105 70		105 70
Clayton	29	5	15		52 90	39 00			4 00	5 30		13 00	114 20	$ 11 05	125 25
Central	40		10		66 75	118 40		2 20	1 95	11 00		14 12	214 42	484 00	698 42
Edenton Street	100	16	14		230 30	225 25	50 00	9 60	4 00	48 10	5 00	33 80	606 05	5974 90	6580 95
Four Oaks	14	2			23 60	52 40		1 10		5 50			82 60		82 60
Franklinton	16		14		37 70	3887 87		6 00	4 00	8 55	7 80	58 40	511 32		511 32
Franklinton No. 2	23		6		44 61	84 10		1 98		12 51		7 65	150 85		150 85
Fuquay Springs	13	7	5	1	35 50	45 00		1 48		7 17		3 02	92 17		92 17
Hollands	9				3 45								3 45		3 45
Jenkins Memorial	32	1	9		39 75	5 00		4 00	4 00	7 75	1 35		61 85		61 85
Kenly	25	5	16	1	45 50	25 00		1 60	4 00	8 00	2 00	4 41	90 51	673 32	763 83
Louisburg	47	2	17		123 25	237 75	265 00	4 70	4 00	11 75	4 00	16 05	667 00	200 00	867 00
Maria Brown	36	4	12		76 60	107 00		3 20	5 00	15 45	3 00	10 25	239 90		239 90
Mary Pescud	36	4	20	1	83 60	140 60	90 00	4 10	4 05	17 60	5 00	48 00	392 95	146 90	539 89
Middlesex	19	5	5		13 05			3 00	4 00	3 20			23 25		23 25
Oxford	40	3	16		88 55	230 00		3 70	4 00	18 15	5 00	10 50	359 90	583 53	943 43
Plank Chapel	8				13 80	30 25				3 45			47 50		47 50
Salem	31	8	11		56 00	25 00		30			2 00	3 00	86 30		86 30
Selma	16	1	14		36 00	28 75		1 84	4 00	6 90	2 00	22 75	102 24	25 00	127 24
Shady Grove	13	1	11		34 85	1 00			1 75		25	3 00	40 85		40 85
Smithfield	61	11	54		158 70	156 00		6 30	4 00	30 00	5 00	30 00	390 00		390 00
Zebulon	15		8		41 50	54 75		4 00				9 15	109 40		109 40
Totals	687	81	285	4	1414 69	2133 62	445 50	57 15	67 25	235 44	44 85	309 96	4708 96	8098 70	12807 66
10 Young Peoples' Auxiliaries	134				108 20	175 00		9 55	10 40	22 00		19 09	340 24	20 30	360 54
19 Junior Divisions	487		*89		53 32	232 59						39 50	325 41		325 41
7 Baby Divisions	105				50	4 98							5 48		5 48
Grand Totals	1413	81	285	4	1576 71	2542 19	445 50	66 70	77 65	257 44	44 85	368 55	5380 09	8119 00	13449 09

*89 Subscribers to "Young Christian Worker."

REPORT OF ROCKINGHAM DISTRICT, 1919.—MRS. GEORGIA BIGGS, SECRETARY.

ROCKINGHAM DISTRICT.	Number of Members.	New Members.	Subscribers to "Voice."	Mission Study.	Dues.	Conference Expense Fund.	Retirement and Relief Fund.	Week of Prayer.	Bible Women.	Scholarships.	Scarritt Endowment.	Pledge.	Scarritt Scholarship.	Amount sent Conference Treasurer.	Honor Roll.	Local.	Totals.
Aberdeen	42	18	20	----	$ 62 50	$ 12 50	$ 2 50	$ 88 50	----	----	$ 4 00	$ 703 00	----	$ 873 00	1	$ 80 00	$ 953 00
Asbury	15	3	7	----	30 15	10 80	1 60	4 25	----	----	4 00	36 45	----	87 25	----	48 00	135 25
Biscoe	12	1	6	1	18 00	2 25	45	28 50	----	----	4 65	31 35	----	85 20	----	----	85 20
Centenary	21	5	7	----	48 22	8 56	2 11	5 10	----	----	4 00	24 50	----	92 49	----	1 00	93 49
Ellerbe	12	----	6	----	----	----	----	5 55	----	----	----	----	----	5 55	----	----	5 55
Elizabethtown	22	5	12	----	19 15	----	----	4 95	----	----	----	29 70	----	53 80	----	----	53 80
Fairmont	31	----	18	1	40 95	2 64	2 58	36 15	----	----	5 23	119 50	$ 10 00	217 05	----	255 25	472 30
Gibson	16	6	10	----	38 40	9 60	----	66 00	----	----	4 00	186 35	6 00	310 35	1	----	310 35
Hamlet	36	12	18	1	73 24	2 53	48	2 51	----	----	4 25	100 00	8 00	191 01	----	557 87	748 88
Laurinburg	58	13	17	----	171 44	5 85	1 17	29 55	----	----	4 00	603 75	----	815 76	1	18 75	834 51
" Young Women	36	18	10	----	60 40	12 60	2 50	13 10	----	$ 40 00	----	223 61	----	352 21	----	59 55	411 76
Lumberton	40	----	25	1	96 50	21 50	7 00	40 00	----	----	1 25	256 00	6 25	428 50	1	87 25	515 75
Maxton	32	----	----	1	48 95	9 60	2 55	----	----	----	4 00	100 90	----	166 00	----	40 60	206 60
" Young Women	30	13	----	1	19 40	2 05	1 10	----	----	----	4 00	46 60	----	73 15	----	----	73 15
Mount Gilead	35	5	20	----	53 80	11 10	2 40	14 00	----	----	4 00	71 50	10 00	166 80	----	----	166 80
Purvis	16	----	----	----	15 70	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	15 70	----	----	15 70
Raeford	28	3	15	----	65 55	4 10	----	17 65	----	----	2 50	63 10	----	152 90	1	----	152 90
Red Springs	35	8	26	1	37 55	8 20	1 70	13 15	----	----	4 30	84 00	2 75	151 65	----	----	151 65
Rockingham	74	12	31	1	179 00	37 00	8 00	21 00	----	245 62	2 00	119 88	16 05	628 55	1	139 10	767 65
" Young Women	38	8	25	1	91 80	18 50	3 70	33 00	$120 00	40 00	4 00	116 50	10 00	437 50	1	80 00	517 50
Rowland	26	3	8	----	59 40	12 59	2 51	28 50	----	----	4 00	58 00	5 75	170 75	----	47 06	217 81
Star	7	----	----	----	14 25	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	14 25	----	----	14 25
St. Johns	28	12	18	----	28 00	6 50	1 50	----	----	----	4 00	100 00	10 00	150 00	----	----	150 00
St. Pauls	22	4	6	----	45 00	----	----	10 00	----	----	2 25	13 55	2 25	73 05	----	45 70	118 75
Troy	28	3	14	----	47 45	3 53	3 52	12 20	----	----	4 00	124 80	----	195 50	----	----	195 50
Wadeville	7	1	7	----	17 45	3 50	2 65	6 25	----	----	----	28 25	----	58 10	----	50 00	108 10
Carolina College Girls	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	85 00	----	85 00	----	----	85 00
Totals	747	153	326	9	1382 25	202 20	50 02	479 91	120 00	325 62	74 43	3329 59	87 05	6051 07	7	1510 13	7561 20
12 Young People	286	----	----	----	348 99	56 00	14 32	55 98	----	----	12 80	557 76	----	1045 85	----	----	1045 85
7 Baby Divisions	76	----	----	----	9 40	----	----	----	----	----	----	24 25	----	33 65	----	----	33 65
16 Junior Divisions	576	----	120*		225 86	----	----	27 87	----	----	----	555 57	----	809 30	----	----	809 30
Grand Totals	1685	153	446	9	1966 50	258 20	64 34	563 76	120 00	325 62	87 23	4467 17	87 05	7939 87	7	1510 13	9450 00

*120 Subscribers to "Young Christian Worker."

REPORT OF WARRENTON DISTRICT, 1919—MISS ALBEA GRAHAM, SECRETARY.

WARRENTON DISTRICT.	Number of Members.	Number New Members.	Subscribers to "Voice."	Number in Mission Study	Dues.	Conference Expense Fund.	Scarritt.	Relief.	Pledge.	Week of Prayer.	Total.	Average.	Supplies.	Local.	Grand Totals.
Ahoskie	19	19			$ 26 30			$ 1 90		$ 10 00	$ 38 20	$ 2 01			$ 38 20
Arcola	11				26 40	$ 3 20	$ 2 20	1 10			33 00	3 00			33 00
Aulander (three quarters)	12	12	2		21 60			1 50		2 40	25 50	2 83		$ 4 00	29 50
Calvary	14		1		27 05		3 00	1 40	$ 8 25	6 15	45 85	3 27			45 85
Coleraine	8		7		19 20	2 40	1 60	1 00	33 50	3 00	60 70	7 59		29 75	90 45
Conway	27	7	3		43 24	4 50	4 00	2 70	64 50	16 36	135 30	5 01			135 30
Enfield (three quarters)	17	17	4		26 45			1 70			28 15	2 21		75 05	103 20
Garysburg	18				43 20	5 40	3 60	1 80	180 00	3 52	237 52	13 20			237 52
Halifax (two quarters)	14	14	8		16 80			1 40		5 95	24 15	3 45	$ 36 40	6 00	66 55
Harrellsville															
Hebron	15				32 00	4 50	3 00	1 50			41 00	2 73		10 00	51 00
Henderson	40				93 01		5 00	4 00	100 00	11 10	213 11	5 33	15 00	75 00	303 11
Henderson (Young Woman's)	20	5			15 00			2 00	89 00	3 00	109 00	5 45			109 00
Jackson	20				48 00	6 00	10 00	4 00	130 10	57 74	255 84	12 79		75 00	330 84
Lewiston															
Littleton	44	4	16	13	97 80	5 00	8 00	4 00	170 45	22 75	308 00	7 00	37 50	413 43	758 93
Macon	19	1	4		40 75	5 40	3 80	1 90			51 85	2 73		5 00	56 85
Middleburg	20	7	1		40 25			2 00	10 00		52 25	2 61			52 25
Murfreesboro	16	1	4		33 40	1 80	2 50	1 70	36 60	12 00	88 00	5 50	60 00		148 00
Norlina	16	1			9 65			1 60	5 20		16 45			30 00	46 45
Powellsville (one quarter)	18	18	1		10 80			1 80		2 60	15 20	3 38			15 20
Roanoke Rapids	20	2	7		39 35	6 00	4 00	2 00	40 00		91 35	4 57			91 35
Rosemary	19	6			35 30	3 30		2 20		3 85	44 65	2 35		29 94	74 59
Roxobel	13	13	1		22 25		2 60	1 30			26 15	2 01			26 15
Seaboard	19				45 60	4 50	5 00	1 90	72 90	10 85	140 75	7 41			140 75
Severn	13		7	10	31 20	4 00	4 00	2 00	40 00	17 20	98 40	7 57			98 40
Shocco	10	1			17 00			1 00			18 00	1 80			18 00
Union (Conway)	17				16 30			1 70			18 00	1 06		50	18 50
Union (Manson)	15	4	2		25 80	4 50	3 00	1 50	10 00	5 00	49 80	3 32			49 80
Warrenton	50	10	9		120 00	15 00	10 00	5 00	200 00	25 00	375 00	7 50	30 00	185 00	590 00
Warren Plains	13	3			31 20	3 90	2 60	1 30	13 00	3 30	55 30	4 25		10 00	65 30
Weldon	73	7	40		175 00	12 00	4 00	7 00	259 00	45 00	502 00	6 88	102 00	500 00	1104 00
Weldon (South)															
Williamston	22				52 80	6 00	4 00	2 20			65 00	2 95			65 00
Windsor	20		8	6	48 00	6 00	4 00	2 00	30 00	15 00	105 00	5 25	30 00	60 40	195 40
Winton	13		3		31 20	3 90	2 60	1 30	22 50	15 08	76 58	5 89		23 50	100 08
Zion (Conway)	18		3		40 95	2 60	3 50	1 80	10 00	3 15	62 00	3 44			62 00
Zion (Norlina)	18	2	7		15 65		4 00	1 80			21 45	1 19			21 45
Totals	727	154	138	29	1418 50	110 00	100 00	75 00	1525 00	300 00	3528 50	5 00	310 90	1532 57	5371 47
6 Young People's	82				46 40	6 32	2 25	1 85	145 35		202 17				202 17
24 Junior Divisions	536		73		191 67				272 56	26 99	491 22				491 22
10 Baby Divisions	100				6 75				41 41		48 16				48 16
Grand Totals	1445	154	211	29	1663 32	116 32	102 25	76 85	1984 32	326 99	4270 05	3 00	310 90	1532 57	6113 02

REPORT OF WASHINGTON DISTRICT, 1919—MRS. WILEY BROWN, SECRETARY.

WASHINGTON DISTRICT.	Dues.	Pledge.	Conference Expense Fund.	Retire and Relief.	Scarritt.	Week of Prayer.	Bible Women.	Subscribers to "Voice."	Number Members.	Amount sent Treasurer.	Local.
Aurora	$ 30 87			$ 5 61	$ 4 00	$ 6 70	$ 100 00		23	$ 147 18	$ 10 25
Ayden	32 50	$ 86 00			4 00			10	24	122 50	
Eureka (Beomons)	17 63	20 70			4 00			9	14	42 33	
Fairfield	34 30	50 00	$ 5 00		1 60				30	90 90	
Farmville	71 61	30 00	5 41	68	5 00	23 17	90 00	26	33	225 87	164 50
Fremont	75 40	36 50	60		4 00	3 90		11	36	120 40	42 00
Greenville	189 60	200 00	35 83	7 77	4 00	19 05		30	112	456 25	145 65
Nashville	98 35	49 40			4 00	17 10	120 00	21	32	288 85	1409 07
Rocky Mount	120 15	176 00	25 00	4 85	4 00	6 00		24	63	336 00	145 82
Rocky Mount (Young Women)	94 00	100 00	10 10	4 66	4 00	8 74			43	221 50	
Rocky Mount Mission	22 80		4 52	1 13	4 00				16	32 45	
South Creek (Campbell's Creek)	10 10				4 00				37	14 10	
Spring Hope	36 30	24 00	5 10	2 15	4 25	10 50			20	82 30	
Stantonsburg	29 52	17 80	5 81	5 17	4 00	15 00		7	13	77 30	7135 00
Swanquarter	27 60				4 00	5 30		3	45	36 90	139 50
Tarboro	42 35	5 60	20						25	48 15	
Warren's Chapel (Blount's Creek)	7 68		1 51	40		1 00	56 00	7	15	66 60	
Washington	106 84	174 00	22 29	4 47	2 00	11 00		7	28	320 60	
Wilson	82 80	188 50	16 05	4 40		13 45			80	305 20	
Wilson (E. Lamb)	31 30	15 00	5 95							52 25	
Bethel	30 50					2 60				33 10	
Totals	1192 20	1173 50	143 37	41 69	60 85	143 51	366 00	155	689	3120 73	9191 79
Young People's	102 27	138 12	14 30	8 30	5 25	13 17				281 41	
Juniors										388 51	
Baby Divisions											

WILMINGTON DISTRICT SECRERARY'S REPORT, 1919—MRS. C. H. FORE, SECRETARY.

WILMINGTON DISTRICT.	Number Members.	New Members.	Subscribers to "Missionary Voice."	Dues.	Pledge.	Retirement and Relief.	Conference Expense Fund.	Scarritt Scholarship.	Scarritt Loan Fund.	Week of Prayer.	Amount Sent Conference Treasurer.	Average per Member.	Local Work.	Value Supplies.	Grand Totals.
Andrews' Chapel	13	13		$ 8 50				$ 50			$ 9 00	$ 69			$ 9 00
Burgaw	18			17 50	$ 10 30					$ 9 50	37 30	2 81	$ 13 45		50 75
Chadbourn	29			46 00	17 00	$ 9 10		2 00		4 00	78 10	2 68			78 10
Charity Church	12			30 72	26 00	25	$ 75			2 28	60 00	5 00			60 00
Clinton	31			33 00	100 00			2 00		9 20	144 30	4 65	82 31		226 61
Faison	13			18 40	202 69	10	2 00	2 00	$ 3 00	18 00	246 19	18 93			246 19
Fifth Avenue—Wilmington	42	4	10	89 50	126 00	3 70	18 30	2 00	4 00	7 00	250 50	5 96	69 00	$ 50 00	369 50
Grace—Wilmington	89	8	34	152 75	335 35	3 70	33 35	3 50		17 00	545 65	6 12	196 75	50 00	787 40
Jacksonville	22			49 60	26 50	2 25			3 62	3 80	85 77	3 89			85 77
Kenansville	12		2	7 79	11 00	2 10	66	1 00		5 00	27 55	2 29			27 55
Maysville	41	10	8	38 75	45 00	4 05	2 95	2 00			92 75	2 26	289 77		382 52
Richlands	22	3	6	55 20	77 50	2 15	12 15	2 00		7 00	156 00	7 04	111 13	24 00	291 13
Rocky Point	16	16	1	29 00	5 25	1 25	6 25	2 00	2 20		45 95	2 87			45 95
Rose Hill	19	4	8	34 00	101 00	2 00	4 00	5 00	4 00	10 00	160 00	8 42			160 00
Southport	28		4	36 73	18 25	71	3 96	2 00			61 65	2 20			61 65
Trinity—Wilmington	41	7	10	75 00	50 50			2 00			127 50	3 11			127 50
Wallace	28	2	10	44 20	83 70	1 75	8 65	2 00	4 00	7 50	151 80	5 42	68 86		220 66
Wesley Memorial	11	11	2	31 16	17 50	20	1 07	2 00		2 12	54 05	4 91	86 50		140 55
Whiteville	37	1	12	85 60	34 25		21 40	2 00		20 25	163 50	4 41			163 50
Trinity—May Circuit					18 50						18 50				18 50
Totals	524	79	107	883 40	1306 29	33 31	115 49	34 00	20 82	122 65	2516 06		912 77		3552 83
6 Baby Divisions	85			9 95	10 46						20 41				20 41
12 Junior Divisions	382			154 19	232 02					5 40	391 61				391 61
5 Young People	63			76 10	93 50	5 70	11 50		6 00	6 00	198 80				198 80
Grand Totals	1054										3126 88				

STANDARD OF EXCELLENCE FOR THE HONOR ROLL.

ADULT MISSIONARY SOCIETY

		Credits
1.	Ten per cent increase in membership	10
2.	An average attendance at each monthly meeting equal to one-half of the membership	5
3.	Dues paid in full and Conference Expense Fund paid by each member	10
4.	Conference pledge paid in full	10
5.	Monthly *Bulletin* presented—program on the monthly topic and prayers for the work and workers once a month	5
6.	Subscribers to the *Missionary Voice* equal to one-half the membership	5
7.	Week of Prayer observed	5
8.	Young people's societies organized by Superintendent	10
9.	Children organized under Superintendent:	
	(*a*) Baby Division	5
	(*b*) Junior Division	5
10.	Bible study class	5
11.	Mission study class	5
12.	All reports mailed to Conference officers by the first day of each quarter	5
13.	Regular work done by Social Service Committee	5
14.	Donation sent to Council institution or preacher and reported to Superintendent	5
15.	Representation at annual and district meetings	5

(Any auxiliary whose reports show that it is entitled to eighty-five credits will be placed on the Honor Roll. Keep this list and send to the District Secretary at the close of the last quarter of the year.)

YOUNG PEOPLE'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY

		Credits
1.	Each Mission Study Class	10
2.	Each Bible Study Class	10
3.	Prompt and accruate quarterly reports	10
4.	One delegate to Annual Conference meeting	10
5.	Two delegates to district meeting	10
6.	Each new member	1

FINANCES

Membership offering paid for every member	20
Contribution to Council Pledge	10
Retirement and Relief Fund paid	10
Conference Expense Fund paid	10

(An auxiliary must have a total of at least ninety-one credits in order to be given a place on the Roll of Honor. Each auxiliary attaining this standard by the end of the year will be awarded a ribbon bearing the words "Roll of Honor.")

JUNIOR DIVISION

	Credits
Ten per cent increase in membership	10
Average attendance at each meeting of one-half the membership	10
Regular monthly offering by each member	10
Pledge paid in full	10
Each mission study class	10
One subscriber to *Young Christian Worker* for every three members	10
Week of Prayer observed	10
Daily Bible study pledged by fifty per cent of membership	10
Promotion exercise from Baby Division to Junior Division	10
Promotion exercise from Junior Division to Young People's Society	10

(At the close of the year the Auxiliary Superintendent will sum up the credits. If eighty or more credits are made, a report of this must be made to the Conference Superintendent, who will furnish for the first year an Honor Roll Certificate. For each of the three successive years that the society makes the necessary number of points the Conference Superintendent will supply seals to be attached to this certificate.)

CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS FOR CONFERENCE SOCIETIES, ADULT, YOUNG PEOPLE'S, AND CHILDREN'S AUXILIARIES.

CONSTITUTION FOR CONFERENCE SOCIETIES

1. In each Annual Conference there shall be organized a Conference Society Auxiliary to the Woman's Missionary Council.

2. The object of this society is to plan and direct the woman's missionary work of the Conference.

3. The Conference Society shall consist of:

(1). Auxiliary delegates representing one or more societies, the number to be determined by each Conference, according to its requirements.

(2). A District Secretary from each district.

(3). Any officer or manager of the Woman's Missionary Council residing within the bounds of the Conference.

(4). Any editor of the Woman's Department of the Church paper residing within the bounds of the Conference.

(5). Any President of a City Mission Board loacted within the Conference.

(6). And the following officers: A President, a Vice-President, a Corresponding Secretary, a Recording Secretary, a Treasurer, and Superintendents of Young People's Work, of Children's Work, of Study and Publicity, of Social Service, and of Supplies.

BY-LAWS FOR CONFERENCE SOCIETIES

1. The Executive Committee shall transact business in the interim of the annual sessions. Five shall constitute a quorum.

2. Conference officers shall be nominated and elected by ballot at the annual meeting. The officers shall constitute the Executive Committee. The President and the Corresponding Secretary shall be members of the Woman's Missionary Council. Only women residing within the bounds of the Conference shall be elected to Conference offices. If, after election an officer moves outside the Conference bounds, such removal shall be considered her resignation from her Conference office.

3. Two members of the Executive Committee of the Conference shall be elected at each annual session as alternates to the Woman's Missionary Council. Alternates from Missionary Societies in foreign fields shall be elected from among missionaries at home on furlough.

4. The District Secretaries shall be nominated by a committee composed of thd President, the Vice-President, the Corresponding Secretary, and the Treasurer, and shall be elected by acclamation.

5. The President shall preside at all meetings of the Conference Society and of the Executive Committee and shall actively advance the interests of the work. She shall sign all orders on the treasury.

6. The Vice-President shall perform the duties of the President in her absence and shall assist in actively promoting the interests of the Conference.

7. The Corresponding Secretary shall conduct the correspondence of the society and supply the auxiliaries with information and with literature, if so ordered by the Conference. She shall promote Christian stewardship, shall use all possible means for the organization of Adult, Young People's, and Children's Auxiliaries in every charge of the Conference, and shall report each new organization to the Secretary of the Home Base, to whom she shall also make quarterly reports of the work of the Conference by the fifteenth day of April, July, October, and January. She shall make an annual report to the Conference Society and report the preceding session of the Woman's Missionary Council. She shall sign all orders on the treasury.

8. The Recording Secretary shall give notice of all meetings of the Conference Society and of the Executive Committee and keep the minutes of the same on record.

9. The Treasurer shall receive all funds of the society, keeping an account of each auxiliary and submitting the same annually to an auditor. She shall disburse the Conference expense funds on the written order of the President and the Corresponding Secretary. She shall make an annual report to the Conference Society and shall send itemized reports promptly, on the fifteenth day of April, July, October, and January, to the Treasurer of the Woman's Missionary Council, therewith transmitting such funds as are collected for the general treasury. She shall also send an itemized statement to the Conference Corresponding Secretary and to the President.

10. The Superintendent of Young People's Work shall have charge of the young people's work and shall report quarterly to the Council Superintendent of Young People's Work and to the Corresponding Secretary of the Conference Society.

The Superintendent of Children's Work shall have charge of the children's work and shall report quarterly to the Council Superintendent of Children's Work and to the Corresponding Secretary of the Conference Society.

11. The District Secretaries shall organize Adult, Young People's, and Children's Auxiliaries and use every available means to promote the work of the Woman's Missionary Society in their districts. They shall present a report of their work at the District Conference and shall hold annual meetings in the district and all-day meetings whenever practicable. They shall conduct the correspondence with auxiliaries and send a quarterly report to the Conference Corresonding Secretary and a copy of the same to the President of the Conference Society.

12. The Superintendent of Study and Publicity shall promote mission study and Bible study and shall disseminate missionary information through the Church and secular press. She shall report quarterly to the Educational Secretary.

13. The Superintendent of Social Service shall stimulate and direct the study and investigation of social questions. She shall report quarterly to the Administrative Secretary of Educational Institutions and Social Service.

14. The Superintendent of Supplies shall superintend the sending of boxes and needed supplies to ministers of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, and to institutions in the home and foreign fields under the direction of the Council. She shall report quarterly to the Council Superintendent of Supplies.

15. Conference Societies shall not project new work nor respond to special calls for aid unless authorized by the Woman's Missionary Council.

16. The membership funds of all auxiliary societies—Adult, Young People's, and Children's—also funds contributed to make life members, honorary life members, and honorary life patrons, are a part of the general fund, which cannot be directed by the Conference.

17. A Conference Expense Fund shall be provided by Conference assessment, the basis to be determined by each Conference according to the requirements. In no case shall membership dues or pledge funds be used for Conference expenses.

18. The thank offering during the Week of Prayer shall be applied to some specific object, to be determined each year by the Woman's Missionary Council in annual session.

19. The Conference Society may make such by-laws as the work demands, provided they do not conflict with those made by the Council.

20. The last half hour of each forenoon during the annual session of the Conference shall be devoted to Bible study.

ADULT AUXILIARIES

CONSTITUTION

Any number of women may form an Adult Society auxiliary to the Conference Woman's Missionary Society by adopting the following Constitution and By-Laws and electing the officers herein provided:

1. This society shall be called the Woman's Missionary Society of the ——— Church, auxiliary to——— Conference Society of the Woman's Missionary Council of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South.

2. The object of this auxiliary shall be to hasten the coming of the kingdom of God throughout the world by enlisting the women, young people ,and children in a study of the needs of the world and in active missionary service; by raising funds for the evangelization of mission fields at home and abroad, for the maintenance of the institutions under the care of the Woman's Missionary Council and for the betterment of civic and social conditions.

3. Any one may become a member of this auxiliary by giving prayer, service, and a contribution to the annual auxiliary budget.

The auxiliary shall assume the responsibility of payment of a budget, the total amount of which shall include annual dues of $2.40 per member, a contribution to the Conference Expense Fund from each member and to the Retirement and Relief Fund from each member, and a pledge from the auxiliary. The dues, pledge, and any other undirected funds shall be prorated by the Council, forty per cent for the home and sixty per cent for the foreign work. Opportunities shall be given for offerings to be directed by individual donors for the support of special work. These special offerings by individuals shall not be prorated.

4. Any one may become a life member of the auxiliary by the payment of twenty-five dollars, an honorary life member but the payment of one hundred dollars, and an honory life patron by the payment of three hundred dollars, provided the money is paid for that special purpose. It shall not be included in the pledge nor in any special assumed by individuals or that has been assigned to the auxiliary. Such membership should be considered an honor and should not release the holders from the obligations of active membership.

5. A name may be placed on the Memorial Roll by the gift of twenty-five dollars for this specific purpose.

6. Every auxiliary member shall pay toward the Relief and Retirement Fund and the Conference Expense Fund.

7. The auxiliary shall carry on local work, which shall consist of the care of the parsonage and the charity work of the Church. This work may be done through a committee, the funds to be raised as the auxiliary directs.

8. The officers of the auxiliary shall be a President, one Vice-President, a Corresponding Secretary, a Recording Secretary, a Treasurer, an Assistant Treasurer, and Superintendents of Young People's Work, of Children's Work, of Study and Publicity, of Social Service, and of Supplies.

9. The auxiliary shall hold one or more meetings during the month for the transaction of business and for the study of the work. The first regular monthly meeting of the year shall be devoted to the consideration of plans and financial pledges for the new year and to the installation of officers. At the last business meeting of the fiscal year the annual election of officers shall be held.

BY-LAWS

1. The President shall preside at all meetings of the auxiliary and shall actively advance its interests. In her absence the Vice-President shall assume her duties.

2. The Corresponding Secretary shall conduct the correspondence of the auxiliary and shall promote Christian stewardship. She shall send to the District Secretary full reports by the first of January, April, July, and October. She shall also send to the District Secretary and Conference Corresponding Secretary the names and addresses of all newly elected officers of the auxiliary. She shall send her books to the district meeting for examination.

3. The Recording Secretary shall keep a record of the regular and called meetings and see that each meeting is properly announced.

4. The Treasurer shall collect all moneys of the auxiliary, keep an account of the same, and make an itemized report monthly to the auxiliary. She shall remit to the Conference Treasurer on the first of January, April, July, and October, giving an itemized statement of the amount, a duplicate of the same to be furnished the Auxiliary Corresponding Secretary. The books of the Treasurer shall be audited annually.

5. The Assistant Treasurer shall have charge of local funds. She shall make a monthly report to the auxiliary, and she shall furnish the Treasurer a quarterly statement to be included in her report. She shall pay out money from the local treasury only upon an order signed by both the President of the auxiliary and the Chairman of the local committee.

The auxiliary as a society shall not assume obligation for the assistance or support of outside organizations, such as orphanages, hospitals, travelers' aids, Y. M. C. A., etc.

6. The Superintendent of Young People's Work shall be responsible for the organization of the Young People's Auxiliary and shall develop and direct its work. She shall send reports when required by the Conference Superintendent of Young People's Work.

The Superintendent of Children's Work shall be responsible for the organization of the Children's Auxiliary and shall develop and direct its work. She shall send a quarterly report to the Conference Superintendent of Children's Work.

7. The Superintendent of Study and Publicity shall be responsible for the organization of mission study and Bible study classes and prayer circles and for the dissemination of missionary information through the Church and secular press. She shall report quarterly to the Conference Superintendent of Study and Publicity.

8. The Superintendent of Social Service shall stimulate and direct the study and investigation of social questions and shall seek to bring about social reforms. She shall report quarterly to the Conference Superintendent of Social Service.

9. The Superintendent of Supplies shall superintend the sending of boxes and necessary supplies to ministers of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, and to institutions in the home and foreign fields under the direction of the Council. She shall report each box sent and its value to the Conference Superintendent of Supplies.

10. The Secretary, Treasurer, and Superintendents shall make written reports at the regular meetings.

YOUNG PEOPLE'S AUXILIARIES

CONSTITUTION

1. This auxiliary shall be called the Young People's Society of ——— Church, auxiliary to ——— Conference Society of the Woman's Missionary Council, Methodist Episcopal Church, South.

2. The object of this auxiliary shall be to hasten the coming of the kingdom of God throughout the world by enlisting the young people in active missionary service, by raising funds for the evangelization of mission fields at home and abroad, for the maintenance of the institutions under the care of the Woman's Missionary Council, and for the betterment of civic and social conditions.

3. Any young person fourteen years old and over may become a member of the auxiliary by giving regularly prayer, service, and a stated offering monthly or quarterly. At approximately the age of twenty-five, members shall transfer to the Adult Auxiliary. Each member shall be asked to make an offering for the maintenance or extension of such objects of the works in the home and foreign fields as are assigned to the young people by the Council. Such funds shall constitute the pledge of the auxiliary.

Membership funds and pledges shall be prorated by the Council Treasurer, forty per cent for the home and sixty per cent for the foreign work.

Each member shall be expected to contributed to the Retirement and Relief Fund and to the Conference Expense Fund.

4. Any one may become a life member of the auxiliary by the payment of fifteen dollars, provided the money be paid for that special prupose. It shall not be included in the pledge nor in any special assumed by individuals or that has been assigned to the auxiliary.

5. A name may be placed on the Memorial Fund by the gift of fifteen dollars for this special purpose.

6. The officers of the auxiliary shall be a President, a Vice-President a Corresponding Secretary, a Recording Secretary, a Treasurer, and the Superintendents of Study and Publicity, of Social Service, and of Supplies.

7. The auxiliary shall hold one or more meetings during the month for the transaction of business and for the study of the work. At the last meeting of the fiscal year there shall be the annual election of officers. At the following meeting there shall be a full report of the year's work, installation of officers, and consideration of plans for work and financial pledges for the new year.

BY-LAWS

1. The President shall preside at the meeting of the auxiliary and shall in every way advance its interests. In the absence of the President the Vice-Presidents shall preside.

2. The Vice-President shall preside in the absence of the President and shall actively promote the interests of the auxiliary. She shall be agent for the *Voice* and the *Young Christian Worker*.

3. The Corresponding Secretary shall conduct the correspondence of the auxiliary and shall promote Christian stewardship. She shall report the full scope of the work quarterly to the Conference Superintendent of Young People's Work and to the District Secretary, to whom she shall send the names and addresses of the newly elected officers.

4. The Recording Secretary shall keep a record of the regular and called meetings and shall see that each meeting is properly announced.

5. The Treasurer shall collect all funds of the auxiliary, keeping a ledger account of the same, and remit to the Conference Treasurer on the first of January, April, July, and October.

6. The Superintendent of Study and Publicity shall be responsible for the organization of mission study and Bible study classes, for prayer circles, and for the dissemination of missionary information through the Church and secular press. She shall have charge of subscription to the *Missionary Voice* and the *Young Christian Worker*. She shall report quarterly on the first of January, April, July, and October to the Conference Superintendent of Study and Publicity.

7. The Superintendent of Social Service shall have charge of social service studies issued by the Council. She shall co-operate in the social service movements of her Church and community. She shall report quarterly on the first of January, April, July, and October to the Conference Superintendent of Social Service.

8. The Superintendent of Supplies shall superintend the packing and sending of boxes of supplies to institutions in the home and foreign fields under the direction of the Council. She shall report each box sent and its value to the Conference Superintendent of Supplies.

CHILDREN'S AUXILIARIES

CONSTITUTION

1. This auxiliary shall be called the Children's Society of Church auxiliary to ——— Conference Society of the Woman's Missionary Council of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South.

2. The object ot the auxiliary shall be to hasten the coming of the kingdom of God throughout the world by giving the children of the Church missionary education, training them for Christian service, and by cultivating in them habits of liberal and systematic giving and of daily Bible study and prayer.

3. The Children's Auxiliary shall consist of Baby and Junior Divisions, under the direction of the Second Vice-President of the Woman's Missionary Auxiliary, whose work shall be correlated with that of the Conference Second Vice-President. All membership, mite box, and other undirected funds shall be sent through the Conference Treasurer, to be prorated by the Council on the basis of forty per cent to home and sixty per cent to foreign work.

BABY DIVISION

1. Any child six years of age or under may become a member of the Baby Division upon the payment of an enrollment fee of twenty-five cents. Each member of the Baby Division shall be given a certificate of membership and shall be furnished with a mite box for voluntary offerings. The mite boxes shall be opened and their contents sent quarterly by the Treasurer of the Junior Division to the Conference Treasurer. Where there is no Junior Division through which to report, the Second Vice-President of the Adult Auxiliary shall send the money of the Baby Division to the Conference Treasurer.

2. Any one may become a life member of the Baby Division of the Children's Auxiliary by the payment of five dollars, provided the money be paid for that specific purpose. It shall not be included in the pledge nor in any special assumed by individuals or that has been assigned to the Baby Division of the Children's Auxiliary.

3. Names of children may be placed on the Memorial Roll by the gift of ten dollars.

4. Special meetings for the members of the Baby Division shall be arranged by the Second Vice-President of the Adult Auxiliary, at which time inspirational programs shall be presented.

5. Members of the Baby Division at the age of six years shall be promoted to the Junior Division and shall be given certificates of promotion.

6. The Second Vice-President of the Adult Auxiliary shall have charge of the Baby Division.

JUNIOR DIVISION

1. Any child between the ages of six and fourteen may become a member of the Junior Division of the Children's Auxiliary by giving regularly prayer, service, and a stated monthly offering to missions. Each member of the Junior Division shall be furnished with a mite box for voluntary offerings. Mite boxes shall be opened quarterly, and the contents, with all other offerings, shall be sent to the Conference Treasurer.

2. Any one may become a life member of the Junior Division of the Children's Auxiliary by the payment of ten dollars, provided the money be paid for that special purpose. It shall not be included in the pledge nor in any special assumed by individuals or that has been assigned to the Junior Division of the Children's Auxiliary.

3. Names of children may be placed on the Memorial Roll by the gift of ten dollars.

4. The officers of the Junior Division shall be a President, a Vice-President, a Corresponding Secretary, a Recording Secretary, a Treasurer, and Super-

intendents of Study and Publicity and of Social Service. The officers, with the Superintendent of Children's Work, shall hold a meeting of the Committee of the Children's Auxiliary.

5. The Junior Division shall meet at least twice a month to transact necessary business and to follow the lines of study arranged by the Woman's Missionary Council, for which programs shall be furnished. At the close of each quarter the Superintendent of Children's Work of the Adult Auxiliary shall hold a meeting of the Executive Committee of the Junior Division to see that the work of the quarter is correctly and promptly reported to the proper officers. At the last meeting of the fiscal year there shall be the election of officers. The first regular monthly meeting of the year shall be devoted to making plans and financial pledges for the new year's work.

BY-LAWS

1. The President shall preside at the meeting of the auxiliary and in every way advance its interests. In the absence of the President the Vice-President shall preside.

2. The Vice-President shall assist in the work of the Baby Division and shall be agent for the *Young Christian Worker*.

3. The Corresponding Secretary shall conduct the correspondence of the auxiliary and promote Christian stewardship and shall report quarterly to the District Secretary. The Corresponding Secretary shall send the names and addresses of all newly elected officers to the District Secretary.

4. The Recording Secretary shall keep a record of the regular and called meetings of the auxiliary and shall see that each meeting is properly announced.

5. The Treasurer shall collect all funds of the auxiliary, keeping a ledger account of the same, and shall remit to the Conference Treasurer quarterly. The Treasurer's books shall be audited annually.

6. The Superintendent of Study and Publicity shall assist in organizing and developing mission study and Bible study classes and shall send items of missionary news to the *Young Christian Worker* and local papers. She shall report quarterly the first day of January, April, July, and October to the Conference Superintendent of Study and Publicity.

7. The Superintendent of Social Service shall assist in carrying out such lines of social service study and activity as are sent out by the Council. She shall report quarterly on the first day of January, April, July, and October to the Conference Superintendent of Social Service.

STANDING RULES

1. That the Treasurer of each Auxiliary shall send all money and reports to District Secretary of her District and the money and reports of Young People's Work be sent to the Superintendent of Young People's Work of the Conference and reports of the Junior Division be sent to the Superintendent of Children's Work of the Conference, on the first day of each month of each quarter.

2. That for the purpose of securing accuracy, the Executive of each Auxiliary shall hold a meeting immediately before sending the quarterly reports.

3. That each District Secretary shall pledge an earnest effort to hold an annual meeting in her district at which time she shall urge the great importance of organizing new auxiliaries, doing all in her power to develop the District.

4. That the Conference officers and each Auxiliary President make every effort to have the Week of Prayer observed.

RULES OF ORDER

1. Each meeting shall open and close with devotional exercises.
2. A motion to reconsider may be made only during the meeting in which the vote is taken immediately following the reading of the minutes in the next meeting.
3. The majority vote shall rule except in cases where the law requires otherwise.
4. Resolutions shall be in writing and signed by at least two members.

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